

HEADQUARTERS TO  
BE ESTABLISHED

Local Candidates Before Republican State Convention Next Month Engage Rooms.

## LOCATED IN HOTEL SEVERIN

Headquarters Will be Opened Several Days Before the Great State Gatherings.

Judge O. H. Montgomery, candidate for the nomination for supreme judge from the Second Indiana judicial district, and Judge John M. Lewis, candidate for the nomination of lieutenant-governor before the Republican state convention, April 5 and 6, have engaged headquarters at the Severin Hotel in Indianapolis during the convention week. The headquarters of the local candidates will likely be opened on the Saturday preceding the convention. Judge Montgomery's headquarters will be on the third floor and Judge Lewis has engaged the ladies' parlor on the lobby floor for his headquarters.

Politicians and delegates will begin flocking to the Republican headquarters several days before the convention. On Tuesday night, April 4, the various districts will hold their pre-convention sessions and will select the members of the various committees. The headquarters of the local candidates will be popular with Seymour people who attend the convention.

Candidates for nomination will be barred from the floor of the convention. L. W. Henley, secretary of the party's state committee, who is making all arrangements for the meeting, made this announcement today.

Mr. Henley says the floor of the convention will be exclusively for the use of the delegates and those who have bona fide duties to perform in connection with the proceedings. This plan, he believes, will eliminate much confusion and possible interference with the convention's work.

It also is announced that tickets to the convention will be distributed by the same plan that has been used in republican conventions in the past. District chairmen will obtain at the state headquarters the tickets for the delegates from their respective districts. The district chairmen will deliver the tickets to the various county chairmen in their districts, and the county chairmen will distribute the tickets among the delegates from their respective counties.

Mr. Henley says he believes the convention will be the largest held by the republicans in Indiana in many years. There is an extraordinary amount of activity and enthusiasm among the republicans this year, he asserts. In addition there are many contests for nominations, more than fifty candidates being in the field.

MARSHAL OF BROWNSTOWN IS  
DEFENDANT IN DAMAGE SUIT

Capt. D. B. Vance, Administrator of Estate of the Late Harry Durham, Asks Sum of \$500.

Capt. D. B. Vance, of Brownstown, administrator of the estate of the late Harry Durham, has filed suit for \$500 damages against John Russell, town marshal of Brownstown, who is alleged to have shot Durham when the latter is said to have resisted arrest on a charge of intoxication. Durham was about twenty-three years old. The amount of damages asked is the amount of Russell's bond given at the time when he qualified as marshal.

The complaint filed in circuit court relates the shooting of Durham and alleges that it was unnecessary for the marshal to use his gun in arresting Durham as three or four able bodied men were standing near and could have been deputized to assist the marshal. The complaint alleges that the officer used more violence than was necessary.

Russell was arrested after the death of Durham on a charge of voluntary manslaughter. He was placed under bond. After the warrant was served on him, however, Prosecutor Woolery called a special session of the grand jury and after an investigation this body reported that it had not found an indictment.

SURPRISE COMES  
TO CITY TREASURER

J. Newt. Gibson, Custodian of City Funds, Receive \$6 From an Unknown Taxpayer.

## NO SIGNATURE ON LETTER

Receipt of Conscience Money Will be Reported to Council—Special Fund May be Started.

If Diogenes were living—you'll recall he was the Greek Cynic philosopher who is said to have gone about at mid-day with a lighted lantern declaring he was trying to find an honest man—he could blow out the light, come to the city treasurer's office in Seymour and find the object of his long search. He might have difficulty at the present time, however, in ascertaining the exact address of the party for whom he searched so many years.

Proof of the honesty of some party came in a financial way to City Treasurer J. Newt Gibson today. When he went to his office he looked over the stack of mail and found an ordinary white envelop addressed with a lead pencil to him. He opened the envelop and his eye caught the edge of two "greenbacks." For the city treasurer to receive money through the mails is a common occurrence although most of the remittances come in the form of bank checks or money orders.

Treasurer Gibson took the money from the envelop, calmly counted it and found it totaled \$6. He again searched the envelop and removed a sheet of paper upon which he expected to find the name and the address of the party making the remittance. He started to read it and sat up and took notice. He reread it and rubbed his eyes. He read the message a third time and pinched himself to see if he was in a dream.

This was the message which caused the city treasurer to lose his breath: "Seymour, Ind.

"Mr. Newt. Gibson, City Treasurer. Please Turn this in the City Treasury the City's money. A Return for The City's belongings and Over Charge. Thanking you. "Thanking for Your Trouble. "Thanks."

Treasurer Gibson has no idea from whom the remittance came. There is no way to ascertain his name from the books as there are probably a number of tax payers who owe about \$6 to the city.

Treasurer Gibson will make a report to the city council of the unsigned remittance and ask for instructions as to what fund to place it. It will probably be turned into the general fund. It has also been suggested that a special fund be created. If the party who sent the money will inform the treasurer directly or indirectly who he is he will be assured of receiving proper credit. Unless he does do this he will probably receive a statement.

One of Mr. Gibson's friends suggested that probably the man who sent the money had in the past had some dealing with the treasurer and knew that he would collect the money in time and the best way to avoid trouble would be to settle of his own accord.

SENATORS IN WASHINGTON  
GREET SENATOR TAGGART

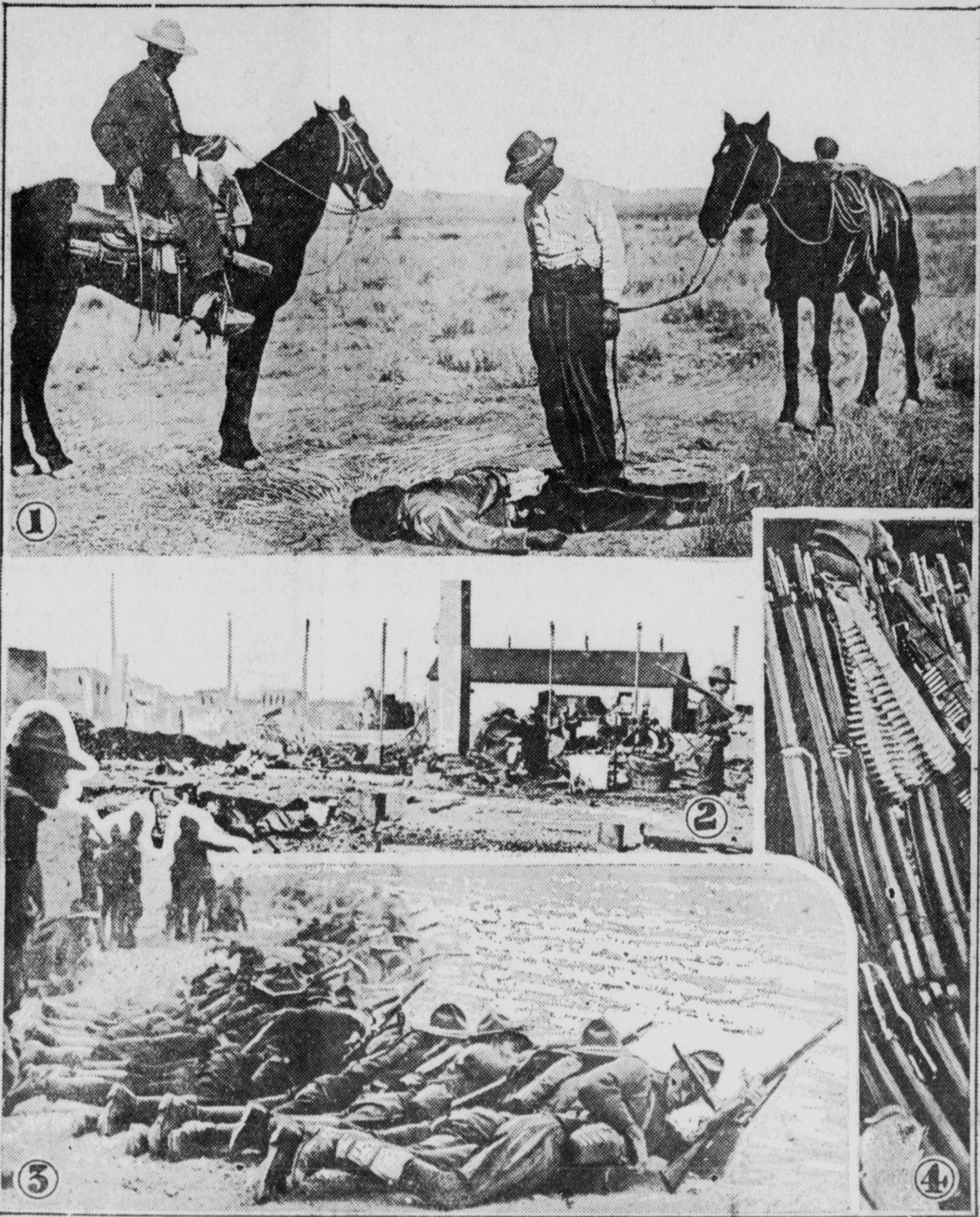
Senator Kern Lauds His Colleague as Man of Great Executive Ability and Experience.

By United Press.

Washington, March 20—Democrat and Republican leaders joined today in extending advance greetings to Thomas Taggart, of Indiana, due here to take up his new duties as senator next Monday.

"As mayor of Indianapolis—the best that city ever had—and as the holder of other public offices," said Senator Kern, his colleague and Democratic floor leader, "Senator Taggart has shown himself a man of great natural executive ability. He started as a poor boy and is now a wealthy man, but no part of his fortune was made from politics. He and I have been personal friends for many years and our associations here certainly will be pleasant."

## U. S. Troops at Columbus Before Invasion Into Mexico



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1.—UNITED STATES CAVALRY STANDING OVER DEAD MEXICAN. 2.—RUINS IN COLUMBUS, N. M. 3.—AMERICAN INFANTRY AT COLUMBUS. 4.—RIFLES CAPTURED FROM MEXICANS.

TAGGART NAMED TO  
SUCCEED SHIVELY

Governor Ralston Names Democratic National Committeeman from Indiana to Fill Vacancy.

## APPOINTMENT WAS EXPECTED

Democracy Speculates Whether or Not State Convention will Name Taggart as Nominee.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, March 20.—Governor Ralston today appointed Thomas Taggart, United States senator to fill the vacancy left by the death of Benjamin F. Shively. The appointment holds up to Shively's successor is elected at the next election and has qualified.

"The commission has been prepared," said Ralston. "It will be presented to Mr. Taggart when he arrives here from French Lick at 11 o'clock."

Senator Taggart will help sustain the president's policy. After he received his commission in his hotel Mr. Taggart said:

"I shall do my humble best to uphold the president's policies for I believe in them."

Mr. Taggart said that at this time he will not state whether he will go before the Democratic convention as a candidate for the short term.

"I shall make no statement until I have been sworn in at Washington," he said. Taggart said he might leave for Washington today.

Mr. Taggart has been the recognized leader of Indiana democracy for years.

The appointment of Taggart was expected. What the state is wondering about is whether he will be the Democrat party nominee at the convention, April 26. Many politicians held the belief today that Taggart will announce he will not go before the convention, but that

WILL OCCUPY SEAT IN U. S.  
SENATE FROM THIS STATE

THOMAS TAGGART.

Governor Ralston will be the party choice without opposition.

Governor Ralston today addressed a letter to Taggart in which he said their close personal friendship alone would have been insufficient to cause the appointment. He said Taggart had long served the party at great personal sacrifice in labor and money without hope of personal reward and that his services as a public official have been characterized by marked efficiency and strictest integrity.

"While you have been at times severely criticized by some within and some without your party no one responsible man has held the betrayal of a trust against you," states the letter.

The Bean family by Chic Jackson, cartoonist at the First Baptist church Tuesday night. A rare opportunity to see cartoon work by the well known artist. m21d

## Dancing Class.

Tuesday evening at court of Honor Hall.

Seymour Business College Phone 403

VILLA IS REPORTED  
TO BE SURROUNDED

Several Columns of American Troops and Carranzistas Said to be Closing in on the Bandit.

## MILES OF DESERT IN THE NET

Aeroplanes Used by U. S. Troops to Locate Trail and Hiding Spot of the Mexican Outlaw.

By United Press.

El Paso, March 20—Reported hemmed in between the canyons of the Guerrero Mountains, Francisco Villa today was believed surrounded by several columns of Carranzista troops and the American expedition closing down on him from the north. However, there are miles of mountainous desert in the net the pursuers are drawing around the outlaw and escape was considered very unlikely.

Aeroplanes were to be used in spying out Villa's hiding place. Soaring among peaks several thousand feet high they could pick out Villa's men on the mountainous trails and signal their whereabouts to General Pershing's scouts.

Villa was reported to have left a small detachment at the Sherandez ranch to hold up the American cavalry until he was safely hidden in the fastnesses of the Sierra Madres. Fighting with his rear guard was momentarily expected to begin. The American column marching its corn fed calvary horses against Villa's tireless ponies was making forced marches to get at grips with the Villistas.

## Masonic Notice.

Regular meeting tonight, Jackson Lodge No. 146. Work in E. A. Degree.

H. H. McDonald, W. M.

Mortgage exemptions filed. Clara Massman, office over Bee Hive.

AMERICAN TROOPS  
COMBING DISTRICT

Like Spokes in a Great Wheel U. S. Forces Operate South and South-east of Casas Grandes.

## FORCES CLOSE UPON OUTLAW

General Pershing's Dispatches Make No Mention of New Outrages by Villa on American Colonists.

By United Press.

San Antonio, Texas, March 20—Like spokes in a great wheel, a half dozen American detachments today were operating south and southeast of Casas Grandes, combing the entire district for Villa bands. The fact that General Pershing is directing his greatest effort in a southeasterly direction as announced by General Funston apparently indicates that Villa has swung to the south and east since passing through Colonia Gracia and now is near Namiquita.

At army headquarters it was announced today that Pershing's principal force is well to the south and east of Casas Grandes broken up into small bodies but all operating from the new Mexican base.

General Pershing's dispatches from Casas Grandes make no mention of new Villa outrages committed on American colonists in the Casas Grandes district nor has any fighting been reported said General Funston.

Pershing's dispatches show that he left the main expedition soon after the column was well under way. Going west General Pershing joined and assumed command of Colonel Dodd's forces.

General Funston said he did not know until Friday that Pershing was with the west column.

From Casas Grandes Pershing reported the Carranza garrison there as "friendly but passive."

"The Mormon colonists in that district," he stated, "looked upon the American troops as a 'rescuing body,' evidently placing slight dependence on the protecting ability of Carranza soldiers."

That automobiles are worthless in the Villa chase was stated today by General Funston.

ATTACK ON LIFE OF PREMIER  
RADOSLAVOF MADE IN LONDON

Bulgarian Minister Fired Upon by Postal Employee Who Gave His Name as Ivanoff.

By United Press.

London, March 20—Premier Radoslavof of Bulgaria was attacked by a would be assassin while riding in an open carriage in Sophia yesterday according to dispatches from both Rome and Paris this afternoon.

A postal employe named Ivanoff fired two shots at the premier it was stated. The first bullet went wild. The second wounded the prime minister's coachman. Before Ivanoff could fire again he was overpowered. The premier escaped unhurt.

The Bulgarian premier is one of the dominating figures in Balkan politics.

OPPOSITION IN HOUSE TO  
A LARGE STANDING ARMY

By Overwhelming Vote Amendment of Representative Kahn to Hay Bill is Defeated.

By United Press.

Washington, March 20—The house went on record overwhelming today against a large standing army. By a rising vote of 153 to 82 the house defeated the amendment of Representative Kahn, of California, to the Hay army reorganization bill which would increase the regular army from 140,000 to 220,000 men.

## AGGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN

Hunt for Villa Will Continue Until He is Taken Prisoner.

By United Press.

Washington, March 20—The hunt for Villa will continue "until Villa is taken or his band broken up." That was the official statement of the war department today. There will be no turning back no matter what turn events may take it was declared.

Reliable piano tuning. J. H. EuDaly.



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Advertised List.

March 20, 1916.

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LADIES.

Mrs. Carrie Miller,  
Maude Wyatt.

MEN.

Wm. Allman,  
Phillip Ashby,  
Walter Becker,  
Thornton Borden,  
Grover C. Bradshaw,  
Jacob O. Buckner,  
O. L. Carter,  
Ezra Clouse,  
Jason Clouse,  
John Diggs,  
James Eaglen,  
J. D. Freeman,  
James Fisher,  
John Goodnoh,  
C. G. Harrold,  
O. H. Henderson,  
Harry Himer,  
Wm. Honan,  
Otis Hooker,  
W. H. Huber,  
Oren Johnson,  
Alva Larkin,  
Wm. McCorrey,  
Jno. W. Mitchell,  
Sylvester Moore,  
Jack Meadows,  
H. H. Prinz,  
Louis Pugh,  
Peter F. Richards,  
C. C. Smith,  
Edgar Sparks,  
Chas. W. Stewart,  
T. F. Stewart,  
H. A. Stewart,  
Geo. P. Sullivan,  
J. Arthur Williams,  
Mr. Alex Willman.

ALLEN SWOPE, P. M.

The Turning of the Worm

The silk worm has turned. Perhaps he has gone on strike. In any event, it is reported that the supply of raw silk is running short. And the demand is increasing. Merchants with full silk stocks are fortunate. Perhaps that is why they are so eager to tell the fact in the advertising columns of The Republican. And another reason why every woman will want to read the advertising.

AERO SQUADRON GIVES BATTLE

German and French Aircraft Meet In Conflict.

ENGLISH COAST IS RAIDED

Four French and Three German Aeroplanes Demolished In Fight In Upper Alsace—Nine Killed and Thirty-One Injured In Kent Raid.

London, March 20.—A raid by a French aeroplane squadron, comprising twenty-three machines in Upper Alsace resulted in one of the greatest aerial battles fought in the war. The number of German machines taking part in the engagement is not announced, but the two squadrons appear to have been fairly evenly matched. Four French aeroplanes were driven to earth and three German machines. Two of the German machines fell in flames.

The raid which precipitated the battle was directed against Mulhausen and Habsheim, on the edge of the Hart Wald, just to the east of Mulhausen. Altogether seventy-two shells were dropped on the Mulhausen freight station and the aviation camp at Habsheim.

The German squadron, which rose to drive off the invading French, gave battle at once. One of the most dramatic incidents of the engagement was a duel between a French and German machine, which resulted in each of the machines being so riddled by the bullets of the other's machine that both were compelled to descend. Three other French aeroplanes were so seriously damaged that they were forced to land in enemy territory.

The official announcement of the aerial battle given out in Berlin says that the occupants of all four French machines which descended were dead. The German statement says that seven inhabitants were killed and thirteen injured at Mulhausen by the bombs dropped by the French machines and that one soldier was killed at Habsheim.

Another raid of smaller proportions was made by the French about the same time on Metz, Chateau-Salins, to the southeast of Metz, and Dieuze, just east of Chateau Salinas. The targets in this raid, in which five doubled motored aeroplanes took part, were the balloon station at Metz, the ammunition depot near Chateau Salinas and the aerodrome at Dieuze. Twenty large shells were dropped on the station at Metz and ten more were divided between the other two objectives. The bombs of the raiders injured three civilians at Metz, according to the German official statement.

German aviators also executed two raids on French railway works, the first on the Clermont-Verdun line and the second on the line from Epinal to Vesoul, and also bombarded the region to the south of Dijon.

A German aeroplane reconnoitering in the Verdun region was brought down by a French machine near Mont Seville, the German machine landing within the French lines.

The communique tells of the bringing down of another German machine by Adjutant Navarre, making the seventh machine brought down by that aviator.

Four German seaplanes bombarded East Kent. The first pair appeared over Dover, flying at a height of between 5,000 and 6,000 feet. One machine dropped six bombs on the harbor and then went northwest, throwing bombs on the town. The other, after passing over Dover, appeared over Deal and dropped several bombs. A second pair bombarded Ramsgate. One went west and the other north, pursued by a British aeroplane. One machine dropped bombs on Margate. A second appeared over Westgate where our aeroplanes pursued it. No bombs were dropped.

The casualties so far are Nine killed and thirty-one injured. As far as can be ascertained, 488 bombs were dropped. One bomb fell on the Canadian hospital at Ramsgate, causing damage but no casualties. Material damage was done to several houses. Flight Commander Bone in a single seater aeroplane, pursued the raider for thirty miles over the sea where, after an action lasting a quarter of an hour, the raider was forced to descend. The observer was killed.

Prince of Wales In Egypt.

London, March 20.—The war office issued the following announcement: "The prince of wales has arrived in Egypt on appointment as staff captain as assistant to the general commander of the Mediterranean forces."

Cincinnati Carriage Plant Burns.

Cincinnati, March 20.—Fire practically destroyed the six-story brick carriage plant of the Sayers & Scoville company, 2247-61 Colerain avenue, entailing a loss, officers of the firm say, of \$500,000.

Millers' Warehouse Burns.

Evansville, Ind., March 20.—Fire destroyed the large warehouse here of Ziliak & Schaefer. The loss is estimated at \$25,000 and is partly covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known.

SUNDAY WAS A BIG DAY AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Members and Friends of Congregation Crowd Auditorium to Hear New Pipe Organ.

The new pipe organ which has just been installed in the auditorium of the First M. E. church was used for the first time in regular church services Sunday and the auditorium was well filled both morning and evening by members and friends of the congregation who desired to hear the new instrument. Mrs. V. C. Rogers, of Cortland, is organist and her solo selections as well as the accompaniments for the anthems showed her ability and skill as a musician. The instrument is capable of a wide range of tones and because of its quick response to the touch of the keys and pedals is especially adapted for accompanying vocal solos and anthems.

The Rev. J. H. Carnes, the pastor, spoke feelingly at the morning service of the response of the congregation for funds with which to purchase the organ and make the improvements which have been occasioned by its installation. His address was unusually strong. His remark that Sunday marked the beginning of a new period of activity in the history of the First M. E. church brought forth an applause.

WASHINGTON TO DECIDE "WET" AND "DRY" QUESTION

E. S. Shumaker, Superintendent of Indiana Anti-Saloon League, Made Address There Sunday

E. S. Shumaker, superintendent of the Indiana Anti-Saloon League, was here today returning to his home in Indianapolis from Washington where he spoke to an audience of three thousand Sunday night on the temperance question. The "dry" forces at Washington have called for an option election and the voters of the Daviess county capital will decide whether or not that city is to remain "wet" on Wednesday, March 29. The petition asking the commissioners to set a date for the election was filed as a result of an immense revival meeting which was conducted in that city recently.

Mr. Shumaker spoke in the tabernacle which was erected especially for the special meetings. There are now eleven saloons in the city. Several years ago the "wets" carried an option election by about three hundred majority. The "drys" are hopeful of the outcome of the present contest.

W. H. NEWSOM REELECTED PROGRESSIVE CHAIRMAN

Elizabethtown Man Again Heads District Organization—G. H. Anderson Vice-Chairman.

Will H. Newsom, of Elizabethtown, was re-elected Progressive chairman of the Fourth district organization at North Vernon Saturday. G. H. Anderson, of this city, was elected vice-chairman, and I. J. Miller, of Greensburg, was chosen secretary and treasurer. No resolutions were adopted. Practically all the chairmen in the thirteen districts were re-elected. In two the selection of chairmen was postponed.

William Holton Dye, of Noblesville, was endorsed as Progressive national committeeman from Indiana by the Progressive committee of the Ninth district Monday. The leaders of that district are planning on adding a special car to the Roosevelt Special which will leave Indianapolis June 6 for the national convention in Chicago.

NEW ELKS' HOME

Dedicatory Exercises of Washington Lodge Held Sunday.

The beautiful new home of the Washington Elks' Lodge was dedicated Sunday afternoon with impressive services. The ritualistic part of the service was carried out in the new lodge room. Members had the privilege to take their families and one guest to this part of the ceremony. Following the ritualistic work a public address was given by Claud G. Bowers, of Washington, D. C. The home has just been completed and is well arranged and elaborately furnished.

Sunday School Reports

	Att.	Col.
First Baptist .....	273	\$ 5.93
Nazarene .....	161	4.30
Woodstock .....	128	3.83
Christian .....	118	2.69
St. Paul .....	90	2.89
Presbyterian .....	74	3.27
Glenlawn Mission ..	59	1.68
Park Mission .....	59	.88
Agoga Mission .....	31	.38
	993	\$25.85

Muslin signs, "No Hunting nor Trespassing" for posting your farm. 5c each, 50c per doz. at Republican Office.

STRICT RULES OF ARMY CENSORS

Funston Wants Only a Few Newspaper Men With Army.

TO EXAMINE ALL PICTURES.

No Movie Men Allowed With Invading Forces and None but Real Reporters Permitted to Accompany Expedition. Violators of Rules Liable to Arrest. Personal Communications Read.

General Funston has decreed that only a few war correspondents shall accompany the American forces into Mexico.

Secretary of War Baker has upheld the decision of General Funston, but strong pressure is being brought to bear on him to throw open the doors.

The degree of censorship imposed by General Funston so far has been mild compared to that he can exercise under the army regulations. It is prescribed in the regulations that censorship within the theater of operations is controlled by the commander of the field forces. An officer is assigned as censor and provided with necessary assistants.

Stops Public and Private News.

Censorship includes censorship over private communications and over press publications and communications.

All private communications, whether they be of officers, soldiers, foreign attaches, newspaper correspondents or any other individuals, dispatched from the theater of operations are liable to censorship. A censor is authorized to suppress any statement that might be of value to the enemy or prejudicial to the welfare of the forces in the field.

All newspapers or journals in the theater of operations are subject to censorship, and they can be suppressed by the censor whenever he deems it expedient.

Each correspondent is required to file an application giving a brief history of his career and to take an oath of loyalty of the usual military form. Their employers are required to give bond for them. Men who have evidently secured credentials with a view to adventure rather than serious work as correspondents will not be received, and the secretary of war has power to say to whom passes shall be given.

The regulations provide that an official photographer shall accompany each field army or other important independent field force. His films and plates will be sent to Washington promptly, where prints will be issued at a nominal cost to the press. No professional photographers and moving picture men will be received.

Regular correspondents may carry small hand film cameras, but the films must be sent to the censor with the field forces or to the chief censor at Washington, where they will be developed and such of them as pass censorship will be sent to any given address.

The chief censor in Washington shall be a commissioned officer. In this instance he is Captain Coates, attached to the general staff. There is also a censor attached to General Funston's headquarters, and General Pershing will also have a censor in the field. All correspondents' news or private dispatches, mail letters for publication, private letters, drawings and photographs must be submitted to the censor and receive his stamp before being sent.

The correspondent will not be allowed to send information concerning the occupation or relinquishment of a position, the news of any victory or defeat, the names of organizations or commanders, the disposition of troops, the state of supply or transport, the number of sick, the extent of losses or any other matters of information unless the dispatch or report containing such information is passed on and authorized by the censor. After censorship the correspondent will be shown what if anything has been elided by the censor. Any relaxation of these regulations rests with the commander of the field forces, in this case General Funston.

Liable to Arrest.

The official army telegraph lines are open to correspondents for the sending of dispatches when not occupied with official dispatches, but the dispatches will be sent in the order filed, and the censor shall say how many words may be sent. Within the censor's discretion correspondents may send messengers to carry censored dispatches to better wire facilities than those at the immediate front.

Correspondents are required to dress in the same olive drab uniform worn by the army, but each wears a white brassard on his arm marked with a C to designate his calling. No correspondent can leave the army to which he is attached, either to go home or any other place, without the consent of the war department.

Correspondents can be suspended for distortion of dispatches in the office of publication and also for the use of language or expressions conveying hidden meaning which would tend to deceive or mislead the censor. For extreme offenses they may be sent to the rear under arrest.

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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conference to be Held at Indianapolis Beginning Thursday Night.

Indianapolis, March 17—Plans for the state-wide conference on vocational education March 23-25 indicate that it will bring such a galaxy of vocational education talent to Indiana as has not been seen at any other single conference. Vocational experts of wide experience will be on the program and the whole field is designed to bring together the educators and other persons interested in vocational education for the purpose of discussing the present status of Indiana and methods of meeting the present problems.

The action which has been taken to make an industrial survey of the state for the purpose of guiding vocational education makes this meeting one of unusual interest to Indiana school men. The work of the survey is already under way at Evansville with Charles H. Winslow, the vocational expert, in charge.

The meeting of the conference will open Thursday evening, March 23, with addresses by President W. E. Stone of Purdue University and Dr. Charles A. Prosser, director of the Dunwoody Institute of Minneapolis. The former will speak on "The Status of Vocational Education in Indiana," and the latter on "The Minneapolis Survey." Friday evening the subject of the discussion will be the "Indiana Vocational Survey."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook spent the day in Cincinnati.

THE "ENDLESS CHAIN" DANGER OF CATARRH

S. S. S. the Proper Safeguard

Catarrh is the offspring of "colds." It is a "cold" in its chronic form. The air is filled with bacteria, which is taken into the mouth and nose through the process of breathing. All the body is in a healthy condition no harm results. But with our modern methods of indoor living and sedentary occupations, the mucous membranes are usually not able to "throw-off" this harmful bacteria, making catarrh a very common ailment. These germs breed and multiply, causing inflammation, the blood rushes to the membranes to fight off the bacilli. When the blood is in a vigorous condition its "defensive" efforts are successful. Otherwise the cold "hangs-on"—turns into catarrh. Catarrh is a chronic inflammation of the mucous membranes. Mucous membranes are the lining on all the internal cavities of the body. Get that—ALL cavities! There is the "endless chain" element of danger. If allowed to run on catarrh will affect not only the nose, but the throat and ear, making you liable to deafness, pulmonary and other troubles. Local applications are useless. The only correct way to treat this dread disease is to purify the blood. The surest way to purify the blood is to take S. S. S., which has been the standard blood medicine for fifty years. S. S. S. is a purely vegetable compound. It will not injure the most delicate stomach. You can get S. S. S. at every reputable drug store. We have an expert Medical Department, which will be glad to give you any special advice you may desire without charge. Write the Swift Specific Company, Dept. 43, Atlanta, Georgia.

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Women suffering with any form of female ills, or any symptoms that they do not understand, are invited to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. (confidential), and receive advice wholly free of cost.

## MANGEL BEETS FOR POULTRY

Succulence Acts as Tonic and Provides Water, One of Essential Requirements of Ration.

For strong egg production plenty of succulence in poultry feed is required. By succulence is meant a food material which contains the original vegetable juices of the plant as it grew; for example, cabbage, lettuce, sprouted oats, mangel beets, etc. Succulence, as here defined, has two definite purposes to perform in the ration: It acts as a tonic, increasing the food consumption by having a definite effect upon the palatability of the ration; where plenty of green food is given, the birds relish the food better and digest more. Succulence also provides plenty of water, which is one of the essential requirements of a ration.

Mangel beets have peculiar advantages as succulence carriers. They are very succulent, containing approximately 75 per cent of water.

Mangels are generally fed by cutting in half, lengthwise. The halves can then be nailed to the wall (the cut side out) with 20-penny spikes, about a foot from the floor. This keeps the food clean.

Mangel beets are essentially a winter feed, and should be fed in such an amount that the poultry will clean them up each day; if greater quantities are given, there will be waste. Some poultrymen grind the beets in a vegetable cutter, and feed them in an open wooden trough. This method admits of the birds eating the entire beet, but on the other hand it requires considerable labor.—Farm Journal.

## TO DESTROY LICE ON FOWLS

Powder Should Be Worked Into Feathers With Fingers—Inside of House Should Be Cleaned.

Several kinds of good powders are sold to kill the lice in the plumage of fowls.

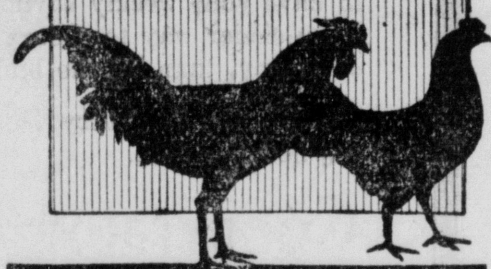
The fowl to be treated should be held by the shanks, with its head down and the powder worked into its plumage with the fingers until the plumage is full of it. If applied when the fowls are on the roost and they are carefully put back after being dusted, the powder will be more effective.

To get rid of little mites, all the roosts and nearby woodwork should be frequently dusted with lice-killing powder. The inside of the house should be cleaned and whitewashed.

## Danger in Wet Mash.

The danger in feeding a wet mash is that some of the food in the trough may be left to sour and mold, and when eaten by the hens later, will cause disease. The only safe method of feeding a wet mash is to remove all feed from the trough in half an hour after feeding.

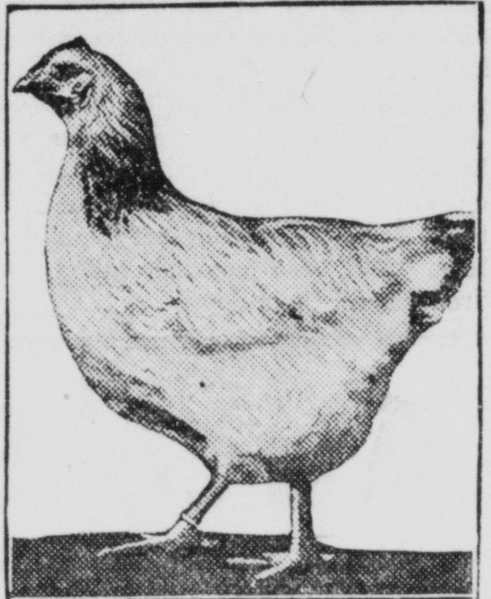
## POULTRY



### ENCOURAGE PULLETS TO LAY

Housed Together, Well Fed, With Plenty of Green Stuff and Fresh Water They Will Lay Eggs.

If you let the pullets run with the flock and feed them in an irregular way they will certainly take their time in beginning to lay. When the combs are showing up red and mature is the time to be getting the pullets in a house to themselves, with a good laying ration, and they will lay weeks earlier and more steadily after beginning if kept to themselves and not allowed beyond a small inclosure. No



Famous Columbian Rock.

male birds must be allowed with them.

A dry mash with a reasonable per cent of meat scrap is necessary, or, if milk is most plentiful, then the mash made up crumbly will help a speedy start. Housed together, fed well, with plenty of succulent green stuff like cabbage, with grit, lime, charcoal, and plenty of pure water at hand, and nothing else to think of but making themselves useful, they will produce the eggs.

The reason the pullets on the farm lay so few eggs in fall and winter, and put off regular laying until often late spring, is due to letting them run with the flock and giving no extra feeding or warm room to themselves. This last is the only way to get winter eggs from the early spring pullets.

### MEANING OF POULTRY TERMS

Pullet Is Female Under One Year Old—After Attaining Full Maturity She Is Termed a Hen.

There seems to be a somewhat hazy notion among amateurs as to the exact meaning of the terms used to designate young and old stock. A pullet, strictly speaking, is a female under one year old. After she has attained her full maturity she is a hen, but in the trade we speak of a fowl as a pullet until she has completed her first year's laying. Therefore, it is correct to speak of her as a pullet until she is eighteen months old, or has begun her first molt, says Farmer's Guide.

A cockerel is a male bird under one year old, but he is usually spoken of as a cockerel until he has at least entered well upon his first year as a breeding cockerel.

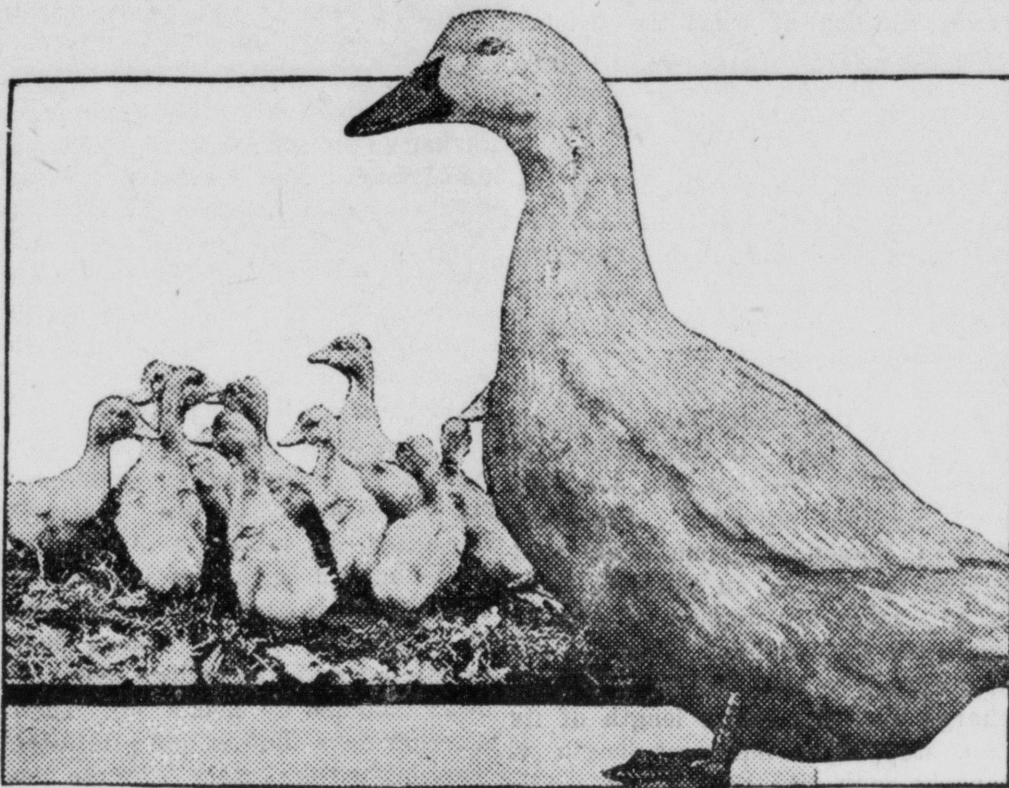
Cocks are older males, usually having passed through one season's breeding. If you order cockerels for breeding purposes, you will get birds that have been used for breeding. When ordering pullets you will get females that are under eighteen months old, at the most.

A cockerel should never be used to breed from before he is a year old. A pullet, if she begins to lay at six months, may be bred at nine months of age.

### Keeping Profitable Fowls.

After a bird has its growth it is not profitable to keep it longer, but the turkey and the goose grow for some time, and the flesh of a turkey is really better a year old than it is six months old. Still the market demand is for young stock. And the market demand is the demand to be met.

## INTENSIVE DUCK RAISING ON LARGE SCALE



Pekin Duck and Ducklings.

(From Weekly Letter, United States Department of Agriculture.)

The number of commercial duck farms in the country is increasing somewhat, it is said, but the production of ducks on general farms is decreasing, especially in the middle West. The last census reports show that ducks were kept on only 7.9 per cent of the farms in the country. The demand for ducks' eggs is more limited than for hens' eggs, and the demand for table ducks at good prices is, to a great extent, confined to the large cities and is not nearly as general as the demand for chickens or fowls. For this reason it is advisable to study the market conditions before making any large investment in ducks.

On the other hand, in a new publication of the United States department of agriculture, Farmers' Bulletin 697, it is said that intensive duck farming on a large scale has been more successful than intensive chicken raising. The Pekin ducks, which are kept extensively by commercial growers, are less subject to disease than chickens, and artificial methods of hatching and rearing have been used very successfully with them. On general farms ducks can be raised with success and at a profit, though as a source of income they do not appear to be as well adapted to average farm conditions as other fowls. Hitherto farmers have rarely given the necessary care to the feeding and marketing of their ducklings to secure any large share of the trade in fancy green ducks.

It is this trade which attracts the commercial duck farmer. A green duck is a duckling which is grown rapidly and marketed when from eight to twelve weeks old, weighing at that time from 4½ to 6 pounds. This rapid growth is made possible by an abundance of care and good feeding. The highest prices are paid early in the spring, but, as has already been said, the demand is chiefly from the large cities in the East and on the Pacific coast. As a matter of fact, many farmers market their ducks in the fall at a lower price per bird than green ducks bring in the spring.

The Pekin breed of duck is kept almost exclusively by producers of green ducks. It is estimated that the cost of raising a ten-week-old Pekin duck is from five to six cents a pound. In the wholesale market, when marketed from April to November, they bring



Indian Runner Ducks.

between 12 and 30 cents a pound. The cost of picking them is placed at from five to six cents each, but this is practically covered by the value of the feathers, which bring from 40 to 50 cents a pound when cured. Each duck yields about two ounces of marketable feathers.

Ducks may be fed on the rations recommended for fowl and chickens,

but better results are usually secured by feeding more green and vegetable feeds and a larger proportion of mash. Ducklings do not need feed until they are from twenty-four to thirty-six hours old. After this they should be fed for the first week five times a day; after that, four times a day until they are two or three weeks old, and thereafter three times daily until they are marketed. The first ration should consist of a mixture which contains equal parts by measure of rolled oats and bread crumbs, with 3 per cent of sharp sand mixed in the feed. When about three days old this feed is changed to equal parts of bread, rolled oats, bran, and cornmeal. After the first week the ration should be changed again to three parts of bran, one part each of low-grade wheat flour and cornmeal, 10 per cent of green feed, and 5 per cent of beef scrap, with about 3 per cent of sand or grit. The amount of beef scrap is gradually increased until it reaches 15 per cent by the end of the third week. The proportion of cornmeal is increased for the ducklings to be marketed and the bran decreased as the time for marketing the ducklings approaches.

The fattening ration, which should be used for two weeks before killing, consists of three parts, by weight, of cornmeal, two parts of low-grade flour or middlings, one part of bran, one-half part of beef scrap, 10 per cent green feed, and 3 per cent grit. This mash is fed three times daily. The green feed is sometimes left out of the ration during the last week of fattening, as it tends to color the meat, but it is easier to keep the ducklings in good feeding condition if it is included. Boiled fish is sometimes used in place of the beef scrap, but this should be discontinued two weeks before the ducklings are killed, in order not to impart a fishy taste. Where milk is available at a sufficiently low price the rations recommended for milk-fattened chickens would produce a well-bleached milk-fed green duck. Celery seed is also used, as this is said to flavor the flesh.

For the general farmer who is more interested in obtaining eggs than in producing green ducks for the market, the Indian Runner is a good breed. This duck holds the same relative position in the duck family that the Leghorn does in the chicken family. It lays a good-sized white egg, considerably larger than a hen's egg, and is declared to be a small eater, a good forager, and hardy.

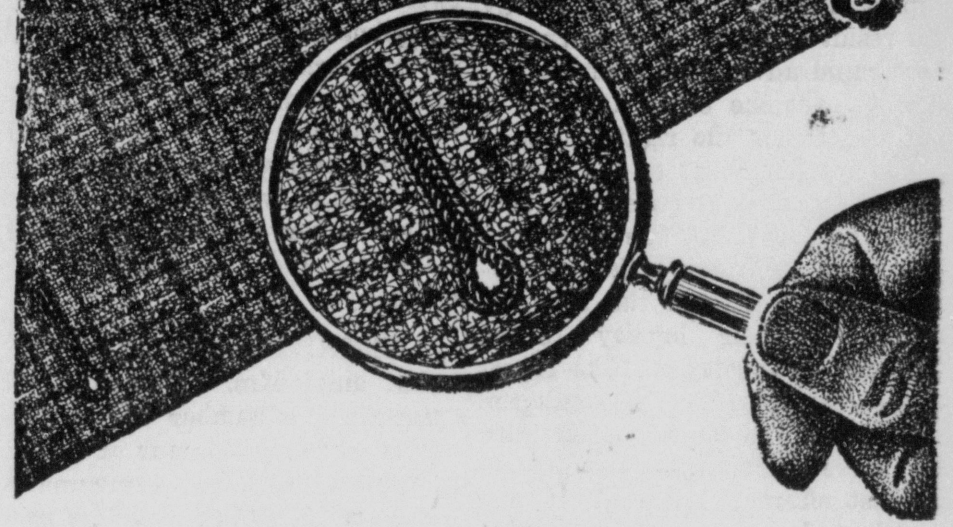
At the present time the keeping of ducks for eggs is an industry which appears to be growing more rapidly in the South than elsewhere. A good demand for these eggs exists at Easter time, when the prices are usually several cents a dozen higher than for hens' eggs, but during the balance of the year the average price for the two has been about the same. Recently, however, the introduction of the Indian Runner has helped in building up a trade in first-class ducks' eggs. These eggs should be marketed frequently, as they depreciate in quality more rapidly than hens' eggs. The possibilities of securing a market, moreover, should be carefully investigated, for it is only in certain places that good prices can be secured for fancy ducks' eggs.

On commercial duck farms most of the hatching is done in incubators, for the Pekin and Indian Runner rarely sit. On farms where no incubator is available, the eggs are usually hatched under hens. The period of incubation is a week longer than that of hens'

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eggs, and, for this reason, the hen must be well cared for. While ducks are easier to breed artificially than chickens, they may also be raised successfully under hens. In the latter case, it is better to confine the hens and to allow the ducklings free range. Birds that are intended for sale as green ducks, however, are not usually allowed much range, but are fed heavily and forced for rapid growth. The brooders and brooding systems used for chickens give good results in rearing ducklings, although the latter do not require as high a temperature.

### CATCHING HOOK IS VALUABLE

Device Is Almost Indispensable in Poultry Yard—Especially Good to Capture Sick Fowl.

The problem of how to catch a hen has at last been solved by the University of California. "It is, as a rule, very difficult," writes Professor Dougherty and his collaborator, W. E. Lloyd, "to get close enough to a few, especially one of the more active and nervous breeds, to pick her up with one's hands. It generally happens that when one really wants to catch a certain fowl she simply won't let one get within arm's length. With the catching hook one can slip up close enough with much less wear and tear on both attendant and fowl."

He declares that where used with normal care not to close the hook too tightly nor to jerk the fowl too suddenly, such a catching hook is almost indispensable in a poultry yard and particularly valuable for removing promptly from a pen any sick fowl which might soon spread disease through the flock.

### Poultryman That Succeeds.

The poultry breeder who studies the condition of his fowls and gives them comfortable surroundings is the man who succeeds and has very few sick fowls.

### BUTTERMILK GOOD FOR HENS

Acts as General Aid to Digestion and Develops Vigor and Vitality to a Marked Degree.

Perhaps no feeds are so general and yet put to such slight actual use on the average farm as buttermilk or skim milk. Both are about the same in feeding value, particularly after the latter has become sour. The full value of buttermilk or skim milk does not lie so much in its food value as in its effect on other foods and general aid to digestion. Buttermilk also develops vigor and vitality to a marked degree as well as promoting unusual growth at the same time.

Milk, added to the ration, increases the consumption of other foods and experiments have shown the greatest increase or gain with chickens was made when most skim milk was being fed.

Buttermilk is also very valuable for laying hens, having a very high feeding value, particularly during the winter months. Either may be fed in mash mixtures or in a drinking fountain.

### Dust Bath Is Essential.

Remember that the dust bath is essential to the healthfulness of fowls, especially of the chicken kind; hence facilities for a dust bath should always be provided. A liberal supply of ashes in the bath makes it better, and if lice or mites are feared, pulverized sulphur may be mixed in it to great advantage.

### Prevent Egg-Eating Habit.

The egg-eating habit is usually prevented by the use of trap nests. Practically, the hen is a machine for making eggs and flesh from raw material.

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MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916.

HIGH SCHOOL SPIRIT.

High school spirit is a manifestation of loyalty upon the part of the students to the school. The right kind of school spirit ought to be encouraged. No school can best accomplish its purposes without an un-failing loyalty from the pupils. If the spirit is directed in the right way it will result in better class work and a more rapid advancement of the department. On the other hand, if it is not directed in the right course it is a distinct detriment to the school.

During the recent basket ball series and the success of the local high school team in winning the championship of this district the students have proved their loyalty to the school and to the team. The regret that the team lost at Bloomington was deep but the boys even in their defeat have won. They put forth their best efforts. After all in any game the effort is worth the while. The team and the local school took the defeat without criticism. They have shown that they can be good losers as well as good winners. In fact the man or the body of men who cannot be good losers are usually poor victors.

We learn from the censored press dispatches today that the Carranzista soldiers and the American troops are closing in around Pancho Villa, the hunted Mexican bandit. His immediate capture depends upon the strength of the Constitutionalists. The American troops will be able to block his escape should he come their way. Detailed news of the invasion into the Republic to the south is withheld. The censorship is as rigid as has ever been established in the history of this country. The reason for this is apparent. General Funston and his staff do not desire to take any chances of giving the bandit and desperado any advantages which he does not now have. Before very long Villa will be convinced that fighting against the forces of Uncle Sam is entirely different from battling with the scattered and poorly trained troops of the Mexican factional leader.

The importance of dragging the road now cannot be emphasized too strongly. Some of them have emerged from the winter in good condition. The surface is cut to some extent but the foundations are solid. The surface on such highways can be put in first class condition at minimum expense. In other places the roads have been washed until they are rough and full of holes. These doubtless will get the immediate attention of the highways superintendent or his assistant in the district where such defects are reported.

"A laugh from start to finish" is the report of one man who heard Chic Jackson and saw his cartoon drawing last week. See him at the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. m21d

The tax collectors which have been employed by the county treasurer's office to collect delinquent taxes are at work and a number of property owners in this city have been honored with a call from the gentlemen. They demand prompt settlement of the delinquent amounts. The collectors were employed at the suggestion of the state board of tax commissioners.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

TUESDAY CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Seymour Tuesday Club will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Theo. Groub, West Second street, instead of with Mrs. Lenore Swails. The program for March 21 will be given as shown in the year's outline

Mrs. Jessie Smith will present a paper on "American Women in Law, State and Industry." Mrs. Nora Miller will give a paper, "What Have Women Done for Seymour? What May They Do?" "Jane G. Austen's Pictures of New England Women," will be discussed by Mrs. Lucy M. E. Remy, and Mrs. Edith Pfaffenberger will give a paper on "Jane Austen's Pictures of English Women."

DINNER PARTY.

Mrs. J. Robert Blair, 117 North Lynn street, delightfully entertained a company of twenty guests at a twelve o'clock dinner party Sunday complimentary to her mother, Mrs. Henry Barkman, who celebrated her birthday anniversary. The children, their families and a few immediate relatives enjoyed the elaborate course dinner which was prepared. The day proved a very pleasant one for Mrs. Barkman and the members of the company.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Clark entertained a number of relatives at dinner Sunday in honor of the twenty-fourth birthday anniversary of her son, Ruby Clark. In the evening Mrs. Ruby Clark entertained a company of friends and neighbors at her home on North Blish street in her husband's honor. The evening was enjoyed with games and music and light refreshments were served.

C. W. B. M. MEETING.

A very enjoyable meeting of the C. W. B. M. was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Niles, North Chestnut street. Following the splendid program an appetizing luncheon was served by the hostess. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Belle Rider and Mrs. James Keach, of Crothersville.

TWELVE O'CLOCK DINNER.

Miss Lovell Bortorff entertained at twelve o'clock dinner Sunday at her home on West Second street, having for her guests, Mr. and Mrs. James Dougherty, of Mineral Springs, Miss Margaret McDonald, and Mr. Leslie Pitts, of Bedford.

REBEKAH ANNIVERSARY.

The members of the local Rebekah Lodge are planning to celebrate the anniversary of the organization of the chapter on April 13. An old fashioned melody concert is being planned and is in charge of the entertainment committee.

DINNER PARTY.

Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Hill entertained at six o'clock dinner Sunday evening for Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter.

Notice Pythian Sisters.

There will be work Monday night. Every officer and all the drill team are urged to be present. m20d

CASE OF THE STATE AGAINST PAUL COX TRIED BEFORE JURY

Defendant Charged with Petit Larceny—Once Acquitted in Local Court.

The attention of circuit court today was centered on the trial of the case of the State of Indiana against Paul Cox, of this city, charged with petit larceny. Cox was recently tried in this city and was acquitted. Later an affidavit was filed against him in circuit court. It is alleged that he took some valuables from Bruce Robertson, of Brownstown, while the latter was in an intoxicated condition.

According to the story, Robertson was with Cox, he alleges, and the latter put him to bed at the Foist rooming house. When he awakened the following morning the money was gone. Cox maintains his innocence. He is defended in circuit court by Judge John M. Lewis. The case is tried before a jury and a large number of witnesses are to be examined. Prosecutor Woolery and Deputy Montgomery have charge of the state case.

The defendant was found not guilty this afternoon.

SEYMOUR MAY SEE SAFETY DISPLAY

B. & O. Railroad Will Transport Exposition Over Its Entire System in All-Steel Train

SECRETARY LANE BACKS MOVE

Proposes to Show Citizens of United States What Department is Doing in Mines and Forests.

In all probability the "safety first" exposition which was recently shown in Washington, D. C., to give the public an idea of what the federal authorities are doing to save life and property in mines, forests and the sea, will be shown in this city in the near future.

Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, conceived the idea that the exposition is of such far-reaching educational value that it ought to be put on wheels and sent to every part of the country.

Carrying out this idea, he wrote a letter to President Daniel Willard of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, requesting the free use of a complete train for that purpose. President Willard responded immediately and offered to furnish an all-steel train of any necessary number of cars to transport the exhibits. The railroad also agreed to haul this train free of charge over the entire length of its line, stopping a sufficient length of time in each city or town to enable the people to inspect thoroughly the various exhibits. This train is to be in Washington by May 1, and it will be equipped as rapidly as possible and sent on its way. An itinerary will be arranged without delay.

It is the plan of Secretary Lane that upon the completion of this itinerary the other prominent railroads of the country will be asked to extend similar favors over their lines and in this way he hopes that every one in the country sufficiently interested will be able to see the exhibits.

The exposition originated with the Federal Bureau of Mines and through the encouragement of Secretary Lane it spread to other departments until twenty-seven Federal bureaus were represented, as well as the American Red Cross and the police departments of the District of Columbia.

"I am of the opinion that such a moving exposition will be of great educational advantage to the country," said Secretary Lane today. "The exposition as I saw it was a revelation as to the extent of the Federal government's activities along the lines of life saving and property saving. That it created great popular interest was evidenced by the fact that in the very busy city of Washington, having manifold other interests, the exposition attracted more than 35,000 persons in the week.

"Best of all, this moving exposition will give the people of the interior towns and cities an opportunity to see and understand what the Federal government is doing in places remote. For instance, the work of the public health service, Treasury Department, in guarding the gate-ways of the republic against epidemics of diseases sent us from foreign shores and the stamping out of these diseases on the threshold of the country; the work of the coast guard service, Treasury Department, in saving life at sea, making the ocean lanes safe for travel; the Navigation Bureau, Commerce Department, with its extensive system of wireless which has already saved thousands of lives on shipwrecked vessels; the forest service's plan, Department of Agriculture, of fighting forest fires and preserving millions of dollars of natural resources to the nation; the methods used by the Bureau of Mines, Interior Department, in rescuing entombed miners from terrible death, and the safety methods of the Interstate Commerce Commission which have so signally reduced the deaths among traumen.

"In addition there is the safety first work of the Army and Navy Departments in sanitation and the stamping out of the typhoid fever in the army and navy.

"These are but a few of the many interesting activities of the Federal government that the people will be privileged to see and learn about. Altogether it will be a rare opportunity for the average citizen of the United States and will give him a better and a clearer idea of what a great and humanitarian country he lives in."

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HIGH SCHOOL TEAM HOME FROM STATE TOURNAMENT

After Losing Initial Contest, Locals Had Nothing to do but Enjoy the Remaining Games.

The high school basket team arrived home Sunday afternoon from Bloomington where they participated in the state tournament. Although the boys got to start in but one game, it was evident that they had been unlucky enough to draw one of the stronger teams as their first opponents, and there were several teams on the floor which the locals should have beaten easily. Playing on a much larger floor than the ones they have been accustomed to was another handicap for the Seymour players. The Kokomo huskies, who came down with the full intention of winning the championship, stacked up head and shoulders above the local players, and yet their work as a team did not show up as much above the local team as the score would indicate. Had the Seymour performers not been guilty of so many fouls, which gave the elongated Parker so many free throws, and had not Arbuckle and Smisson of Kokomo, been lucky on several long shots at the basket, the game would have been much closer. Towards the end of the game the locals were getting accustomed to the floor and the crowd and were playing a much improved game.

It was noticeable, however, and is made more evident at each succeeding tournament, that the teams representing the college and university towns have a big advantage over the other teams in that they get the benefit of playing on the college floors, practicing with the college teams and being coached by basket ball experts. Another fact that is quite noticeable also, is that the teams from the north part of the state are made up of much larger and heavier men than are those from the southern part of the state. Most of the players on the Seymour, Vincennes, Brookville and Bloomington teams appeared like grade school boys beside the ragde athletes from Crawfordsville, Kokomo, Valparaiso, Lafayette and other up state aggregations. Martinsville and Hopewell teams were the only southern Indiana teams to match up with the locals. Coach Stiehm, in presenting the cup to Lafayette after they had triumphed over Crawfordsville by the narrow margin of one point in the final game Saturday night, said that when he first saw the Crawfordsville team in action he thought it must be a university team, and that he was amazed that high school teams could develop such a high grade article of basket ball.

The game which the Seymour team played with Kokomo in the tournament was the last of the season for the locals, and with it three of the best men played their last high school game. Sumner, Ackerman and Riley, regulars, and Mackey, substitute, will be lost by graduation, leaving only McCurdy and Boyles of the regular team around whom next year's team must be built. However, there were several strong players on the second team this year, and there will probably be considerable good material from which to select a team.

INCREASED ACTIVITY IN ENFORCING DOG ORDINANCE

John Ruddick Assigned to Place as Official "Catcher," but Other Policemen are Busy, Too.

John Ruddick, who is working on the police force during the absence of Chief of Police McCord, has unofficially been assigned as head of the new department which has charge of capturing all dogs which thoughtlessly leave the premises of their owners. Of course, every dog ought to know by this time that the new ordinance is in force and accordingly should stay at home. But, several which appear to be either absent-minded or neglectful, roam around

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on the streets with an air that they are under no restraint at all. Of course, when one dog forgets the ordinance and starts down town, his neighbors forget the instructions given them on March 1 and they too, leave home, but as James Whitcomb Riley might say, "They had better be keeferful or the police will get 'em."

Three of the aforesaid absent-minded canines wandered down town today and before they knew it they had made the acquaintance of the police department. After the dogs were "locked up" the telephone was brought into play and two of the owners notified that they could get them back by paying fifty cents in fees. The two notified called and "redeemed" their dogs.

The funeral of the late Elder G. M. Shutts was held this afternoon from the Christian church, conducted by the Revs. Z. T. Sweeney and W. H. Book, of Columbus, and F. P. Smith, the local pastor. The deceased had a wide acquaintance throughout the county because of his long work as county evangelist for the Christian church. Many from various parts of the county attended the services.

The funeral of the late John Emil Aufderheide was held Sunday afternoon from the St. Paul Congregational church. Short services were held at the residence. The sermon was preached by the pastor, the Rev. H. R. Booch. Burial at Riverview.

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### PERSONAL

Thomas Plunkett, of Columbus, was here Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Foist went to Brownstown today.

T. S. Ross went to Crawfordsville today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hoadley spent today in Columbus.

Harry Clark went to Martinsville today on business.

Frank Schwein, of Brownstown, was in the city today.

L. Mathis, of Huron, was in the city today on business.

O. V. Starr, of Sparksville, transacted business here today.

Harry M. Miller transacted business in Indianapolis today.

Sam Carr, of Medora, transacted business in Seymour today.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Simon and children were in Columbus Sunday.

Dr. C. L. Wilson was here from Brownstown today on business.

Oscar Bedel was a passenger to Brownstown today on business.

George H. Stafford went to Brownstown today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bard, of Louisville, spent Sunday in this city.

Dr. A. May, of Crothersville, transacted business here today.

Mrs. Ella Rust, of Brownstown, spent the day here with relatives.

J. V. Stapp, of Medora, was a business visitor in the city today.

William Dailey, of Brownstown, was in the city today on business.

Joe Day spent Sunday at Franklin the guest of his sister, Mrs. Virgil Tilson.

Fred Robbins spent Sunday in Brownstown with his father, who is very ill.

John Brewer, of Vallonia, was here today the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Speer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Moritz, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday here with his parents.

George Kramer and family spent Sunday the guests of relatives in Indianapolis.

Dr. W. M. Casey, township trustee, went to Brownstown today on township business.

Dora McClintock returned to Sparksville today after a short business trip here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Groub and Miss Lenore Stanfield spent the week-end in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Frank Doane and Mrs. John Hair and son, Robert Hair, went to Indianapolis today.

Mrs. George Burns, of Shelbyville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Fox, at Reddington.

Ben Fettig, of Columbus, was in the city today visiting relatives and transacting business.

Miss Nettie Feagan, of the B. & O. dispatchers' office, spent Sunday with relatives in Washington.

Miss Lula Patterson, of Columbus, came Saturday to attend the funeral of John Emil Aufderheide.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ellis, of Washington, were in the city today on their way to Indianapolis.

Mrs. John Staudt, of Indianapolis, is here to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Brown, Jr.

Wallace Bland, of Brownstown, was here today to attend the funeral of the late Elder G. M. Shuttles.

Mrs. O. E. Gilbert returned to her home in Medora today after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hargitt.

William Shuttles, of Brownstown, attended the funeral of his brother, the late Elder G. M. Shuttles, today.

Elmer Bollinger, Jr. returned last evening from Bloomington, where he attended the basketball tournament.

Mrs. Mary Blevins, of Reddington, was here Sunday on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Charles Hazard.

Miss Edith Hanna returned to Martinsville today after visiting her mother, Mrs. George Reider, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Eastin were here from Brownstown today to attend the funeral of the late Elder G. M. Shuttles.

Miss Diana Hyland, of Terre Haute, was the guest of Miss Mary Louise Honan at her home on East Third street.

Mrs. Leo Head, of Indianapolis, came Saturday to attend the funeral of her brother, the late John Emil Aufderheide.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hazard and children attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Christopher Helt at Reddington Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Christie, of Louisville, spent Sunday with John Smith and family at Chestnut Ridge, returning home this morning.

Mrs. Frank Bretthauer, who was called to Milan Saturday on account of the death of her uncle, returned home Sunday night.

Mrs. Jerusha O'Donnell, of Mitchell, returned home today after a visit with her son, Walter O'Donnell, and Mrs. O'Donnell, here.

W. H. Russell, a member of the local police force, was in Brownstown today to appear as a witness in a case on trial there.

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Clarence Brown spent Sunday evening in Columbus.

W. H. Noelker and Martin Plump spent Sunday in Columbus.

W. H. Steinker spent Sunday the guest of friends in Vincennes.

Van Robertson, of Brownstown, transacted business in Seymour today.

R. D. Hays, former postmaster of Cortland, was in Seymour transacting business today.

Misses Ora Droege, Maude Taskey and Minnie Steinkamp spent Sunday with friends in Vincennes.

Philip Laugel, of Jeffersonville, was here today on business and visiting relatives and friends.

Horace Payne, of Mooney, trustee of Owen township, was in Seymour transacting business today.

Miss Myrtle George, formerly reporter in the Jackson circuit court, was here from Indianapolis today.

Mrs. Laura Moore, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. C. C. Frey, for several days, returned to Indianapolis today.

P. G. Martin, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Davis, North Ewing street, spent Sunday at Vallonia. His home is in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hotchkiss, of Crothersville, were here today and went to Medora, where they will visit relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Roeger had for their guests Sunday, Mrs. Fred Grice, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Jeff. Newland, of Chillicothe, Ohio.

Messrs. Everett Kruwell and Ed. Robert and Misses Lucille Brown and Elsie Lawell motored to Columbus Sunday and spent the afternoon.

Roy Lanham, of Mitchell, spent Sunday here with his wife and little child, who are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Margaret Lanham.

Harry McMullen, of Aurora, attorney for the B. & O. Southwestern Railroad, was here today on his way to Brownstown on legal business.

Carl R. Switzer returned from Bloomington Sunday where he attended the basketball tournament for the state high school championship.

Judge O. H. Montgomery, Judge John M. Lewis, T. H. Montgomery, Seba A. Barnes, O. B. Abel and A. C. Branaman attended court at Brownstown today.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Kirkhoff and children returned to their home in Indianapolis Sunday after an extended visit with Mrs. J. H. Hopewell and Mrs. Mary Paul.

Miss Esther Bush, who has been spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bush, left this afternoon to resume her college work in Champaign, Ills.

Henry Alberring, deputy county treasurer, was here today and attended the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Herman Alberring, whose death occurred Saturday morning.

George V. Cain, of Scottsburg, was here today and went to Brownstown on legal business. He made the race of prosecuting attorney on the Democratic ballot in the recent primary.

Miss Ella Weinland, who has been visiting her brother in Indianapolis for some time, came here Sunday morning and will visit her sister, Mrs. Jay C. Smith. Her brother, Albert H. Weinland, also spent Sunday here, returning home in the evening.

See Chic Jackson, the cartoonist, draw his clever caricatures of the Bean family, including Goldah, and all the others, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. Tickets 25 cents, on sale at Carter's drug store. m21d

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## HEAT IN ROOM IS CAUSED BY BLAZE LEAPING FROM ROOF

Slight Damage Done at the Home of Mrs. Mary Galbraith, West Second Street, Sunday.

J. Buford Thomas, of the Thomas Clothing Company, who lives at the Galbraith House, West Second street, was sitting close to a register reading a book shortly after noon Sunday and noticed that the room was getting warm. Without taking his eyes from the book he moved his chair farther away from the register. Despite his interest in the book the steadily rising temperature attracted his attention and again he moved from the register. Finally his chair was in the farthest corner of the room. The book still held his undivided attention until he heard someone shout "fire."

Thomas then went down stairs and someone informed him that the roof immediately above his room was ablaze. He then accounted for the intense heat in the room.

The fire which started near the chimney in the center of the house is thought to have originated from a spark falling on the roof. Mrs. Fred Everback, who lives on St. Louis avenue, discovered the fire and notified Mrs. Mary Galbraith. The fire department was called and made a quick response. One line of hose was promptly laid and soon was being sprayed on the flames. Water ran through the roof into the room occupied by Thomas. Some of the plastering fell. None of the household goods was damaged. Mrs. Galbraith said the loss would not be large and was fully covered by insurance.

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### NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

A daughter was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Ray R. Keach, North Poplar street.

Charles A. Naylor, formerly of this city, has recovered from a severe attack of the grippe at his home in Rockford, Ill.

Mrs. James McWhorter, East High street, suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday morning and her condition is regarded as serious.

Mrs. J. H. Peak has moved here from Austin, and will engage in the dress-making business, in which she has had several years experience.

Mr. and Mrs. William Busby, of Indianapolis, came here today to attend the funeral of the late Elder G. M. Shuttles. Mrs. Busby is the daughter of the late J. P. Colter, who patented the Pullman car coupler.

Joseph Stein spent Sunday in Cincinnati where he visited his mother, Mrs. Catherine Stein. Mrs. Stein is eighty-two years old and has been seriously ill for two years. Her condition at present is critical.

The Fiddlers' contest which will be given at the Majestic tonight under the auspices of the local lodge of Moose promises to be an entertaining affair. It is expected that seventy-five participants will appear on the evening's program.

T. G. Thompson, of Indianapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Thompson, of Pocatello, Idaho, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Blair Sunday. Virgil Thompson is the son of T. G. Thompson and with Mrs. Thompson has been visiting in Indianapolis several days.

John Weekly, a young man of twenty-four years or thereabout, sauntered into the assembly room of the B. & O. Southwestern division building Sunday night and took advantage of the warm quarters for a nap. Policemen Russell and Stewart found him there and upon their invitation he accompanied them to the police headquarters where a charge of trespassing was filed against him. No action was taken in the case which was continued indefinitely.

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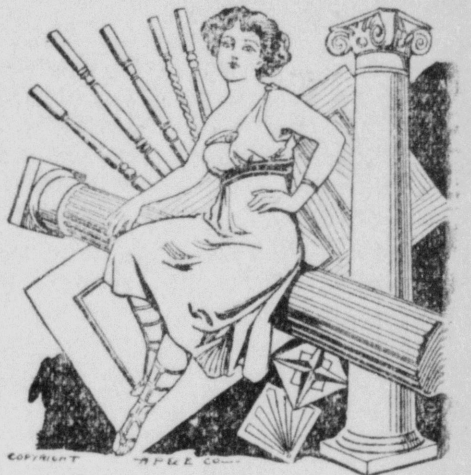


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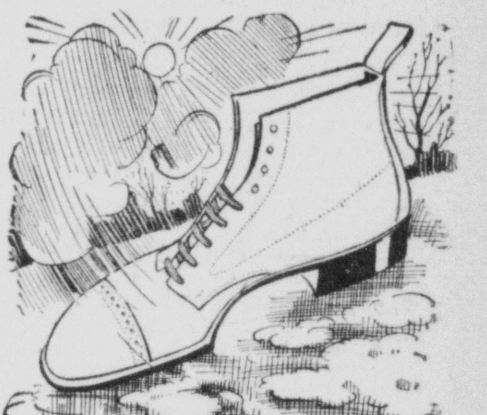
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## U. S. ARMY HOT ON TRAIL OF VILLA

Pershing Divides Forces to  
Catch Bandit.

### VILLA EVADES CARRANCISTAS

American Forces Are Convinced That the Carrancistas Are Making Little or No Effort to Capture Villa—Mormon Colonies Reported Raided.

El Paso, March 20.—Francisco Villa has been driven into a trap by the rapid advance of the American troops, according to the information received here in wireless dispatches from the front and in telegraphic dispatches to General Gabriel Gavira, the Carranza commander at Juarez.

El Paso, Tex., March 20.—General Pershing, commanding the American expedition into Mexico, has divided his forces in the hope of catching Villa between them, according to information reaching here.

Pershing is said to have left Casas Grandes for the south, heading for Pearson, which he is reported to have reached. He is supposed to be camping in the mountains south of Pearson.

The column under command of Colonel G. A. Dodd, which reached Casas Grandes ahead of General Pershing, was sent southeast through Chocolate pass, it is reported, and is following the trail which the Carrancistas declare Villa took in his retreat south.

General Pershing's reported plan is to march his own force south parallel with the Mexico Northwestern railroad, hoping to meet or overtake the bandit leader, who has passed through the continental divide over the Babacora, from Las Cruces, where he was reported.

The best information obtainable is that Villa is in the vicinity of the Babacora ranch, having passed through the mountains forming the continental divide without molestation by the Carranza troops.

There is much speculation as to the plans of Villa. The Carrancistas profess to believe that he will break up his force into small bands and scatter through the mountains, but there is belief in some quarters that he is either heading south in an effort to form a junction with Zapata, or will turn west in an effort to reach the Mexican Pacific coast and get as far as possible from the American border.

It is understood that the American forces are convinced that the Carrancistas are making very little effort to capture Villa, many of the Carranza troops being former Villistas still in sympathy with Villa and many of the others being afraid to meet in a battle.

The news from the Pershing column states that some of the horses and mules of the American expedition artillery force had perished or been abandoned on the trip from Columbus to Casas Grandes, but that on the whole the men and animals withstood the march exceedingly well.

Information was received by the Pershing column, it is reported, that Villa raided some of the American Mormon colonies and killed some of the inhabitants. At the border, it is declared that this is either not true or Villa did not take the route reported during the past week by the Carrancistas.

All the Mormon colonies are west of the continental divide and directly south of southwest of Casas Grandes. Bishop P. B. Hurst, who is representing the Mormon interests in El Paso, says all the information he has from the colonists is that they are safe.

Two companies of the Twenty-fifth infantry recently sent to Deming, N. M., as guards, returned to El Paso. A number of civilian scouts left here for Columbus to reinforce the number now with General Pershing.

The Twenty-fourth infantry, colored, reached Douglas, Ariz., from San Francisco, to take the place of the cavalry taken from there for Dodd's expedition into Mexico.

The Twelfth cavalry was sent into Mexico shortly after its arrival and is expected to be joined by the second when it arrived from Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, in the next twenty-four hours and follow the trail of General Pershing.

### REVOLVER SCARES NEGRO

Woman Drives Negro to Flight With Pistol.

Jeffersonville, Ind., March 20.—William Lampkin, twenty-seven years old, a negro, who says he has been living here, is in jail, charged with entering a house to commit a felony.

He was arrested after escaping from the home of George Dix at "The Pines," four miles east of here. Mrs. Dix was in the house when the negro appeared. She was lying on a couch when the negro entered the room. When she saw he was unarmed she reached across to a dresser drawer, got a revolver and pointed it at the negro, who turned and ran. The sheriff arrested the fugitive. His motive is supposed to have been robbery.

### ORDERED TO MEXICO

Battleship Kentucky, Commander Dismukes, Sent to Vera Cruz.



Washington, March 20.—Having no vessel near the scene of the Mexican troubles with wireless powerful enough to communicate with Washington in case of need, the government has ordered the battleship Kentucky to Vera Cruz. She is commanded by Commander D. E. Dismukes.

## HOLLAND PRESS HINTS WAR ON GERMANY

Sinking of Tubantia Arouses  
Dutch Newspapers.

The Hague (via London), March 20.—The press of the Netherlands, in discussing the sinking of the liner Tubantia, refers to the possibilities of war between Germany and Holland.

The Amsterdam Handelsblad, after discussing uselessness of such a conflict and considering the many ties between the two countries, adds:

"Nevertheless, nothing would be more damaging to our independence and national existence than the conviction gaining ground that we are unprepared to shed our blood for the defense of our rights and independence."

The Handelsblad does not believe, however, it says, that Germany will withhold clear guarantees against a repetition as such an incident as that of the Tubantia, and continues:

"If the attack was made against the orders of the German admiralty, we expect the submarine commander will get what a pirate deserves."

The Nieuwe Rotterdamse Courant says:

"If the German navy seeks a conflict with us it should say so."

The Vaderland asks if the time has not come for America, Holland, Argentina, Brazil, Chili, Sweden, Norway and Denmark to take combined action, "as their interests coincide and there can be no doubt concerning their sentiments."

"The South American republics are interested," it continues, "because the loss of the Tubantia deprives them of one of the few remaining links with Europe."

### APPEAL FOR PROTECTION

Texans Ask For Additional Troops to Prevent Villa Raid.

Washington, March 20.—Frantic appeal was made to the war department by the people of Presidio, Texas, for additional troops to protect them from a threatened Villista raid at that point. Representative William R. Smith of Texas called on Major General Scott, chief of staff, who is acting secretary of war in the absence of Secretary Baker, and laid before him a telegram signed by residents of the town.

The telegram stated that Carranza scouts coming into the Mexican town of Cihna, opposite Presidio, have reported a force of 135 Villistas, eighty miles south, who were burning ranches and committing all kinds of depredations. Leaders of the band, so the scouts report, are boasting of their intention to "wipe out the Gringos" at Presidio. The band is believed to be operating independently of the main Villista force. General Scott also received a telegram from General Funston regarding the anxiety at Calexico on the California line.

### Factory Contract Let.

Ft. Wayne, Ind., March 20.—A contract has been let for the erection of the four new factory buildings at the Ft. Wayne Electric Works here. When the buildings are completed the number of men employed at the plant will be increased from 2,500 to 5,000.

## WITNESSES TELL OF WHICH SURPRISED

Lieutenant's Wife Describes  
How Her Husband Killed  
a Dozen of the Mexican  
Outlaws.

WITH every officer in the war department busily engaged in carrying out the mobilization of large military forces on the Mexican border and with several detachments of cavalry already in the troublesome little republic seeking Pancho Villa, interest of the American public has been transferred from Verdun and other European battlefields to our own country.

All American officers agree that it is no easy task to "get" Villa. He is a sly fox, in a great many respects like Huerta, who caused so much trouble in Mexico. But Huerta in all his reign never did anything as brutal and savage as Villa's attack on the little town of Columbus, N. M.

The bandits killed every sentry to death and thus effected, undetected, entry into the heart of Columbus, according to Mrs. James Pryor Castleman, wife of Lieutenant Castleman, who, as officer of the day, repelled the invaders.

Mrs. Castleman's account of Villa's slaying the sentries is the first explanation offered from any source as to how the invaders got into Columbus without arousing either soldiers or citizens.

She saw Pancho Villa and Pablo Lopez, his chief lieutenant, standing in front of her house, she said. Until Lopez fell she had her pistol ready to fire if either tried to enter her house.

### All Houses Surrounded.

Finally Villa mounted his horse and by circling among the houses escaped. The house of every officer was surrounded, as also were the homes of leading citizens, she said.

Mrs. Castleman is of the opinion that her husband killed a dozen or more Mexicans with his own revolver.

"At 4:30 o'clock I heard the most awful shooting. Bullets just rained on our house. I put my children under their bed and got my pistol, for I said they would not take me alive and I certainly would get some of them if they came in."

"An awful half hour followed, in which I heard nothing but shots and shouts: 'Villa! Villa! Death to Americans!'"

"Villa cut a fence and came in between the Gibsons' ranch and the gate. He killed all sentries with knives noiselessly. Then he set their horses loose. His men were right in the city before anybody knew it, and my husband's shot was the first warning."

"Mr. Castleman stepped out of the house, and a Villista threw his rifle in his face. Evidently my husband's sudden appearance frightened the Mexican, for, although he was at very close range, he fired his rifle, and the bullet passed over Mr. Castleman's shoulder. Mr. Castleman killed the Mexican."

"Mr. Castleman then turned the guard out. Then he turned out Troops F and H. Meanwhile the camp had been aroused. But Villa's men were already there. Some of the soldiers were killed before they got their guns."

### Lieutenant Fought Barefoot.

"Lieutenant J. P. Lucas, in command of the machine guns, fought barefoot. The battle was in the dark, and only two men could get to Mr. Lucas. One of these, a sergeant, was killed. Mr. Lucas had only himself and another man, and in the dark he must have put a charge in wrong, for the gun jammed. The second machine gun worked properly."

"Mr. Castleman, who was in the Philippines and participated in many battles, said he had been in many tight places, but that this was the worst of all. The Mexicans outnumbered us six to one at least, and I don't see how we won, except that the Mexicans are cowards and because of their bad aim. The Mexicans all shoot high. All of the marks on my house—and it is full of bullets and bullet holes—are high. Our men all hit below the belt, as we could see from the dead Mexicans in the street."

"The battle raged right in front of our gate. Six Mexicans were killed there. I think Mr. Castleman got twelve or more."

"Only sixty-five men, by actual count, followed the bandits into Mexico. There were 500 or more Villistas. I went out into the streets shortly after 7:30 o'clock. The horrible things Mexicans had done and the more horrible things they had tried to do had changed me. I saw Mexicans dead and Mexicans suffering and was unaffected."

"Mrs. Slocum, the colonel's wife, who is one of the gentlest, sweetest women in the world, said, 'I don't understand it, but I haven't any feeling over seeing these men suffer.' Every woman was changed. They had lost all feeling. They had no sympathy, no pity."

John Lewis Childs, a former New York state senator, who has just returned from the southwest, tells of his experiences at Columbus just after Villa made his attack.

"Our train was approaching Columbus," said Mr. Childs, "when we heard the firing and saw the smoke from the burning village. The engineer brought it to a stop, and we waited in the train."

## VILLA'S ATTACK, FORCE ON THE BORDER

Bare Handful of Men Bravely  
Chased the Bandits Far  
Into Mexico, but No  
Battle Resulted.

Not a person had a gun, and a number of women and children were aboard. We had been somewhat fearful of a raid for a number of miles while we were going through that country."

Mr. Childs said that they could distinctly hear the crashing of the machine gun, and then it suddenly stopped, and he later learned that it had jammed.

"Later on we saw the bandits leaving," he said. "First a few appeared, and these rode away in flight, followed by ever increasing numbers, and we then realized that they were retreating, and I can tell you there was a general sigh of relief when we saw the Villistas fleeing and about a mile behind them a mere handful of our own troopers."

### Anxious to Get Away.

"There was little firing from our men. They rode with grim determination, but the bandits constantly turned and fired. Their shots were occasionally answered by our men, who rode in good order, like a well oiled piece of machinery. I thought several times what would happen if the bandits should turn and give fight to our troops, who seemed to be about sixty in number. But the Mexicans were evidently only too anxious to get away, and finally we saw them disappear with our boys in close pursuit."

"When we finally pulled into Columbus I saw at least fifty bodies lying about and went at once and saw Colonel Slocum. He said that his force numbered about 350 men, while those of the bandits were at least 2,000."

"As soon as the firing began the bandits rode through the town and shot to kill whenever they saw any one appear at a window or door. A general attack seemed directed at the home of United States Customs Collector Riggs. He had his house barricaded, however, but there were thousands of shots all over the building."

"Mrs. Riggs had her baby in her arms. A nursing bottle was shot from its mouth, but the child was uninjured. Mr. Riggs put the baby and its mother on our train and joined the troopers in their pursuit of the bandits. "The people of the town were certainly brave in their predicament, and not one of them showed the slightest terror. When we left every man and boy in the town large enough to hold a gun was forming a company to repel any other attack that might be made."

### Woman Held Nine Days.

Mrs. Maud Hawk Wright, an American woman who said she was held captive by General Villa for nine days and was liberated in the midst of recent fighting, declared that Villa announced on March 1 his intention to attack Columbus and proceeded north under forced marches to carry out his purpose. His men, with scant supplies of water and meat, suffered severely, she said, and many dropped from their horses on the march to Boca Grande.

Villa, she declared, ruled them by fear, and his officers with the flats of their swords beat the soldiers into submission sufficient to reach that point, where they rested.

### VOCATIONAL CONFERENCE

Will Be Held at Indianapolis March 23-25 Inclusive.

Indianapolis, March 20.—The state vocational conference, which will meet in this city March 23-25, will be one of the most important educational conferences that has ever been held in the state of Indiana. Interest in the conference among the teachers of the state is general and the attendance promises to be the largest in the history of the movement.

Among the prominent educators and industrial leaders who are to take part in the conference are: President W. E. Stone, Purdue; C. A. Prosser, director Dunwoody institute, Minnesota; Frank Duffy, secretary United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Indianapolis; P. A. Reid, Elliott & Reid Co., Richmond; L. S. Hawkins, state director of agricultural education, Albany, N. Y.; President W. W. Parsons, Indiana State Normal school, Terre Haute; Miss Elizabeth Rowe, University of Minnesota; Superintendent C. M. McDaniels, Hammond, Ind.; C. R. Richards, Cooper Union, New York; Superintendent B. F. Moore, Muncie; Superintendent Samuel L. Scott, Jeffersonville; President W. L. Bryan, Indiana university; C. H. Winslow, R. J. Leonard, Superintendent J. G. Collicott, President W. A. Mills, Hanover college; Walter Sargent, University of Chicago; John A. Lapp, and Congressman S. D. Fess, Ohio.

### Berlin Subway Collapses.

Berlin (by wireless to Sayville), March 20.—A section of the upper wall of the underground railway now in course of construction in Berlin collapsed and the tunnel was flooded. Three workmen are missing. Later the three missing workmen were rescued. The damage will be repaired in a short time.

### COLONEL TREVINO

Carranza's Right Hand Man Said  
to Bitterly Hate General Villa.



Photo by American Press Association.

### Red Cross Ship Torpedoed.

Berlin (via Sayville, L. I.), March 20.—Vienna reports that the hospital ship Elektra, in the Austro-Hungarian Red Cross service, bound from the North Adriatic to South Darmatjak, was torpedoed by an enemy submarine. The steamer is stranded. One sailor was drowned and two Red Cross nurses badly wounded.

## LAST OF ALLEN CLAN SLAIN IN MOUNTAINS

Quarrel Over Allen Trials Re-  
sults In Death.

Roanoke, Va., March 20.—Jack Allen, last of the noted Allen clan of Carroll county, was shot and killed in the home of Mrs. Robert A. Martin, five miles from Mt. Airy, N. C., by Will McCraw, a mountaineer.

On his way home from Mt. Airy, where he sold a wagon load of lumber, Allen stopped at Mrs. Martin's home to spend the night. After supper he and Mrs. Martin and a neighbor were sitting before the open fire talking, when McCraw came in and took part in the conversation.

Discussion of the Allen trials of three years ago which resulted in some of the clan being put to death for the raid on the Hillsville court house lead to a quarrel.

The women and their children ran from the room screaming. A shot rang out, followed by another. McCraw, hatless and without his overcoat, plunged from the house and disappeared.

Accompanied by some wagoners who were camping in the neighborhood, the family returned to the house and there found Jack Allen lying on the floor, his face in his own blood, and a bullet hole through his head.

Officers are hunting for McCraw. He is believed to be hiding with friends in the mountain wilderness.

### COL. JOHN FORD MILLER DEAD

Former Railroad Builder and Executive Dies of Hemorrhage.

Richmond, Ind., March 20.—Colonel John Ford Miller of this city, eighty-six years old, railroad builder and executive, died suddenly at his home here as a result of an internal hemorrhage.

Colonel Miller, when he retired from active service in 1901, was first vice president of the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus railroad, a branch of the Pennsylvania system.

For many years he was general superintendent of the Southwest system of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, with headquarters at Columbus, O. Prior to his appointment to that office he was superintendent of the Indianapolis division of the Southwest system, with headquarters in Richmond and Indianapolis. He was born in Ithaca, N. Y., July 16, 1830.

### Income Tax Will Net \$100,000,000.

Washington, March 20.—The income tax will place in the United States treasury this year approximately \$100,000,000, or \$15,000,000 more than was estimated last fall, according to preliminary estimates compiled by the internal revenue bureau. Returns last year were about \$80,000,000.

### Centennial Celebration at Deer Creek.

Logansport, Ind., March 20.—Deer creek, Cass county, celebrated the centennial of the state of Indiana. A parade, the main feature of which showed the progress in models of transportation, was held in the afternoon. A large crowd attended.

### Ban on Arms Through Canal.

Panama, March 20.—The Pacific Mail Steamship company and other lines whose vessels fly the American flag and call at Mexican west coast ports have placed an embargo on transisthmian local freight destined for these ports.

## CONGRESS MAY ADJOURN EARLY

President Desires Session End-  
ed Before Conventions.

### BIG PROGRAM STILL AWAITS

Comparatively Little Loss of Time Is  
Looked For, Except the Shipping  
and Revenue Bills—Army Bills May  
Be Acted on This Week.

Washington, March 20.—Evidence of co-operation between President Wilson and congress, which may lead to an early adjournment at the capitol, is seen by administration officials in the action of the senate and house in advancing preparedness legislation ahead of other bills and practically removing the European and Mexican questions from the field of debate through votes supporting the president.

Although some congressional leaders, notably Speaker Clark, say congress will be in session until fall, administration officials predicted confidently that adjournment would come late in June or early in July.

A great legislative program still awaits action. It includes the army and navy bills, a tariff commission bill, the Philippine bill, rural credit legislation, several appropriation and revenue bills, shipping legislation, revenue measures and the immigration bill. Comparatively little loss of time is looked for, however, over any of these measures except the shipping and revenue bills.

The president is very desirous that congress take action on the important questions now pending before the political conventions assemble in June and July. Work on the Democratic platform already has been begun on the assumption that this can be accomplished.

The house will pass the Hay army reorganization bill by Thursday at the latest.

Senator Chamberlain plans to call up the senate measure and to move that it replace the public lands water power bill as unfinished business.

Tuesday the senate is to vote on the Tillman bill for an \$11,000,000 government armor plant. Its passage has been assured ever since the naval affairs committee reported it.

With the army bill well on its way the house naval affairs committee is preparing to wind up hearings on the naval construction bill. Representative Padgett, chairman of the committee, plans to report the bill early in April.

The prolonged investigation into the qualifications of Louis D. Brandeis for the supreme bench has been ended by the senate judiciary committee, which will meet this week to formulate a report to the full committee. Although no member of the subcommittee has given any hint of his attitude, the general belief is that a report favoring his confirmation will be made to the full committee.

### PINCHOT ON MILITARISM

Declares It Depends on State of Mind  
Rather Than Establishments.

New York, March 20.—Amos R. T. Pinchot declared before the Bronx open forum that militarism does not consist in the possession of a great army and navy, but the state of mind which goes with military establishments.

"The most vicious element in the preparedness campaign," he said, "worse even than the proposal of universal military service, is the plan to start military training in our schools. To take a boy at the age when he is most impressionable and instill in him the ideas of subservience to autocracy, and the duty to fight when he is told to, right or wrong, is to take away from his independence of thought his usefulness as a citizen, and especially from his integrity of character."

### LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE

Will Hold Annual Meeting in Washington May 26-27.

New York, March 20.—The first annual national assemblage of the League to Enforce Peace will be held in Washington on Friday and Saturday, May 26 and 27. Former President Taft, president of the league, will preside.

The call, which is issued over the names of two hundred well-known Americans, emphasizes the fact that the league was not formed to propose measures for stopping the present war, but to give expression to a plan for future world peace. The forthcoming conference is for the purpose of devising measures which would unite all nations into a league to enforce peace.

### Hooks Didn't Stay Hooked.

Valparaiso, Ind., March 20.—Mrs. Mary Hook was "unhooked" from Edward Hook here by Judge Loring in the circuit court, but Mrs. Hook preferred to retain the name of Hook, she said, for she had grown so used to it. The Hooks were married eighteen years ago and a year later Hook left for parts unknown.

# The PRINCE of GRAUSTARK

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## CHAPTER IV.

### The Loan Is Blocked.

**M**R. BLITHERS reached home in high spirits. His wife was asleep, but he awoke her without ceremony.

"I say, Lou, wake up! Got some news for you. We'll have a prince in the family before you can say Jack Robinson."

She sat up in bed, blinking with dismay. "In heaven's name, Will, what have you been doing? What have you been?"

"Cutting bait," said he jovially. "In a day or two I'll throw the hook in and you'll see what I land. He's as good as caught right now, but we'll let him nibble awhile before we jerk. And, say, he's a corker, Lou. Finest young fellow I've seen in many a day. He!"

"You don't mean to say that you— you actually said anything to him about—about—oh, my God, Will, don't tell me that you were crazy enough to— cried the poor woman, almost in tears.

"Now, cool down, cool down!" he broke in soothingly. "I'm no fool, Lou. Trust me to do the fine work in a case like this. Sow the right kind of seeds and you'll get results every time. I merely dropped a few hints, that's all—and in the right direction, believe me. Count Equinox will do the rest. I'll bet my head we'll have this prince running after Maud so!"

She faced him once more and angrily. "Listen to me," she said. "I've had a talk with Maud. She has gone to bed with a splitting headache, and I'm not surprised. Don't you suppose the poor child has a particle of pride? She guessed at once just what you had gone over there for, and she cried her eyes out. Now she declares she will never be able to look the prince in the face, and as for the Kings—oh, it's sickening. Why can't you leave these things to me? You go about like a bull in a china shop. You might at least have waited until the poor child had an opportunity to see the man before rushing in with your talk about money. She!"

"She'll like him all right," said he confidently. "She will refuse even to meet him if she hears of your silly blunder tonight."

His face brightened. Lowering his voice to a half whisper, he said: "We needn't tell her what I said to that old chap, Lou. Just let her think I sat around like a gump and never said a word to anybody. We can!"

"But she'll pin you down, Will, and you know you can't lie with a straight face."

"Maybe—maybe I'd better run down to New York for a few days," he muttered.



"He informed me that her dot would be twenty millions."

tered unhappily. "You can square it better than I can."

"In other words, I can lie with a straight face," she said ironically. "I never thought she'd balk like this," said he, ignoring the remark.

"I fancy you'd better go to New York," she said mercilessly.

Sure enough, Mr. Blithers was off for New York soon after daybreak the next morning, and with him went a mighty determination to justify himself before the week was over. His wily brain was working as it had never worked before.

Two days later Count Quinox received a message from New York

bearing the distressing information that the two private banking institutions on which he had been depending for aid in the hour of trouble had decided that it would be impossible for them to make the loan under consideration.

Vastly disturbed, Count Quinox took the first train to New York, accompanied by Truxton King, who was confident that outside influences had been brought to bear upon the situation, influences inimical to Graustark. Both were of the opinion that Russia had something to do with it.

"We may be able to get to the banks through Blithers," said King. "How could he possibly be of assistance to us?" the count inquired. "He happens to be a director in both concerns, besides being such a power in the financial world that his word is almost law when it comes to the big deals."

All the way down to the city Count Quinox was thoughtful, even preoccupied. They were nearing the terminal when he leaned over and, laying his hand on King's knee, said after a long interval of silence between them:

"I suppose you know that Graustark has not given up hope that Prince Robin may soon espouse the daughter of our neighbor, Dawsbergen."

King gave him a queer look. "By Jove, that's odd! I was thinking of that very thing when you spoke."

"The union would be of no profit to us in a pecuniary way, my friend," explained the count. "Still it is most desirable for other reasons. Dawsbergen is not a rich country, nor are its people progressive. The reigning house, however, is an old one and rich in traditions. Money, my dear King, is not everything in this world. There are some things it cannot buy. It is singularly ineffective when opposed to an honest sentiment. Even though the young princess were to come to Graustark without a farthing she would still be hailed with the wildest acclaim. We are a race of blood worshippers. If I may put it in that way, she represents a force that has dominated our instincts for a great many centuries, and we are bound hand and foot, heart and soul, by the so-called fetters of imperialism. We are fierce men, but we bend the knee and we wear the yoke because the sword of destiny is in the hand that drives us. To day we are ruled by a prince whose she was not of the royal blood. Our prince assumes an attitude of independence that we find difficult to overcome. He is prepared to defy an old precedent in support of a new one. In other words, he points out the unmistakably happy union of his own mother, the late Princess Yefive, and the American Lorry, and it is something we cannot go behind. He declares that his mother set an example that he may emulate without prejudice to his country if he is allowed a free hand in choosing his mate."

"But we people of Graustark cannot look with complaisance on the possible result of his search for a sharer of the throne. Traditions must be upheld—or we die. True, the crown princess of Dawsbergen has American blood in her veins, but her sire is a prince royal. Her mother, as you know, was an American girl. She who sits on the throne with Robin must be a princess by birth or the grip on the sword of destiny is weakened and the dynasty falters."

They had not been in New York city an hour before they discovered that William W. Blithers was the man to whom they would have to appeal if they expected to gain a fresh hearing with the banks. The agents were in a dismal state of mind. The deal had been blocked no later than the afternoon of the day before and at a time when everything appeared to be going along most swimmingly. Blithers was the man to see. He and he alone could bring pressure to bear on the directors that might result in a reconsideration of the surprising verdict. Something had happened during the day to alter the friendly attitude of the banks. They were now politely reluctant, as one of the agents expressed it, which really meant that opposition to the loan had appeared from some unexpected source as a sort of eleventh hour obstacle. The heads of the two banks had as much as said that negotiations were at an end, that was the long and short of it. It really didn't matter what was back of their sudden change of front, the fact still remained that the transaction was as "dead as a door nail" unless it could be revived by the magnetic touch of a man like Blithers.

"What can have happened to cause them to change their minds so abruptly?" cried the perplexed count. "Surely our prime minister and the cabinet have left nothing undone to convince them of Graustark's integrity and—" "Pardon me, count," interrupted one of the brokers. "Shall I try to make

an appointment for you with Mr. Blithers? I hear he is in town for a few days."

Count Quinox looked to Truxton King for inspiration, and that gentleman favored him with a singularly dispiriting nod of the head. The old Graustarkian cleared his throat and rather stiffly announced that he would receive Mr. Blithers if he would call on him at the Ritz that afternoon.

"What!" exclaimed both agents, half-startling from their chairs in amazement.

The count stared hard at them. "You may say to him that I will be in at 4." "He'll tell you to go to—ahem!" The speaker coughed just in time. "Blithers isn't in the habit of going out of his way to—to oblige anybody. He wouldn't do it for the emperor of Germany."

"But," said the count, with a frosty smile, "I am not the emperor of Germany."

"Better let me make an appointment for you to see him at his office. It's just around the corner." There was a pleading note in the speaker's voice.

"You might save your face, Calvert, by saying that the count will be pleased to have him take tea with him at the Ritz," suggested King.

"Tea!" exclaimed Calvert scornfully. "Blithers doesn't drink the stuff."

"It's a figure of speech," said King patiently. "All right; I'll telephone," said the other dubiously.

He came back a few minutes later with a triumphant look in his eye.

"Blithers says to tell Count Quinox he'll see him tomorrow morning at half past 8 at his office. Sorry he's engaged this afternoon."

"But did you say I wanted him to have tea with us?" demanded the count, an angry flush leaping to his cheek.

"I did. I'm merely repeating what he said in reply. Half past 8, at his office, count. Those were his words."

"It is the most brazen exhibition of insolence I've ever"—began the count furiously, but checked himself with an effort. "I—I hope you did not say that I would come, sir?"

"Yes; it's the only way!"

"Well, be good enough to call him up again and say to him that I'll—I'll see him blanked before I'll come to his office tomorrow at 8:30 or at any other hour."

And with that the count got up and stalked out of the office, putting on his hat as he did so.

"Count," said King as they descended in the elevator. "I've got an idea in my head that Blithers will be at the Ritz at 4."

"Do you imagine, sir, that I will receive him?"

"Certainly. Are you not a diplomat?" asked King.

"I am a minister of war," said the count, and his scowl was an indication of absolute proficiency in the science.

"And, what's more," went on King reflectively, "it wouldn't in the least surprise me if Blithers is the man behind the directors in this sudden move of the banks."

"My dear King, he displayed the keenest interest and sympathy the other night at your house. He!"

"Of course I may be wrong," admitted King, but his brow was clouded.

Shortly after luncheon that day Mrs. Blithers received a telegram from her husband. It merely stated that he was going up to have tea with the count at 4 o'clock and not to worry, as things were shaping themselves nicely.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

## ONE SPOONFUL GIVES ASTONISHING RESULTS

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## WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of the United States weather bureaus, taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follows:

Temp.	Weather.
New York..... 30	Clear.
Boston..... 24	Clear.
Indianapolis..... 37	Clear.
Chicago..... 30	Cloudy.
Denver..... 42	Pt. cloudy.
St. Louis..... 48	Clear.
Omaha..... 30	Pt. cloudy.
New Orleans..... 72	Pt. cloudy.
Washington..... 34	Clear.
San Francisco.....	Pt. cloudy.
Forecast—Fair.	

## TEACHER WEDS PUPIL BEFORE HIS SCHOOL

Scholars Dumfounded at First, but Later Cheer.

Vernon, Miss.—Professor Porter, organizer of the Vernon separate school, and Miss Clarence Palmer, one of the pupils, were principals in a romance that grew into marriage before any of the other pupils got the slightest inkling of it.

Professor Porter one morning recently called school as usual. He heard all classes apparently without letting his mind turn toward the event that was but a few hours off. At 3 p. m. Judge Armsted Rogers slipped into the schoolroom and took a rear seat. The pupils looked around, thought it uncommon, but concluded that the squire was just a casual visitor.

At 4 o'clock the scholars had all books, slates, sponges and rulers tucked away, ready for the dismissal bell. Professor Porter ascended the rostrum, said he was going to turn over a new leaf and asked Miss Palmer if she were ready. She flushed slightly. Squire Rogers took her arm, and together they walked up to the professor on the platform. The marriage ceremony was pronounced while the scholars sat silent and dumfounded.

The professor kissed his bride. The pupils, recovering from their surprise, lustily gave the "three times three" football yell for the couple. Professor Porter is known as an artist, soldier and educator. The bride is a beautiful young lady of many accomplishments.

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## Weather Signals.

Warning—One long blast.  
One long—Fair weather, stationary temperature.  
Two long—Rain or snow, stationary temperature.  
Three long—Local rain, stationary temperature.  
One long, one short—Fair weather, lower temperature.  
One long, two short—Rain weather, higher temperature.  
Two long, one short—Rain or snow, lower temperature.  
Two long, two short—Rain or snow, higher temperature.  
Three long, one short—Local rain, lower temperature.  
Three long, two short—Local rain, higher temperature.  
Three short—Cold wave.

## ARGUMENTS IN STEEL CASE

Legal Battle Will Open Against Six Companies March 22.

Youngstown, O., March 20.—Judge W. S. Anderson announced that the hearing on the motion to quash the indictments against six steel companies and E. H. Gary, indicted on a charge of conspiring to fix the price of labor and steel, will be held on Wednesday, March 22.

The steel company lawyers contend that the indictments were faulty. The hearing of this motion is expected to be the beginning of a long legal battle in the Mahoning courts.

## Volcano Pumice on Ship.

San Francisco.—Pumice stone from a submarine disturbance mingled with the waves which battered the Oceanic Steamship company's liner Sierra during a hurricane three days out from Sydney, New South Wales, according to a report made by the captain of the steamer when it reached port here. For hours the ship was in the sea of pumice, pieces varying in size from a marble, he says, to a silk hat being thrown on deck by the waves.

## Railroad Will Build Hotel.

New York, March 20.—Contracts have been awarded by the Pennsylvania Railroad company for a 1,000-room hotel to be built in Seventh avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, facing its terminal in this city.

## Death Due to Bonnet.

Decatur, Ind., March 20.—Her sight and hearing obstructed by the folds of a drooping bonnet, Mrs. Rachael Kern, eighty years old, failed to note the approach of a train as she was walking on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad tracks near her home and was instantly killed.

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## Fire Districts.

Seymour's fire map shows that the five wards are divided into twenty-two fire districts and when an alarm is given the fire bell gives the number of the ward in taps, then after a pause the district number is sounded. When calling the telephone exchange for a fire alarm always give the street and number where the fire is located. Don't attempt to call by fire districts.

## FIRST WARD.

District 13, bounded by Vine, Fourth, Penn. Railroad and B. & O. Railroad.

District 14, bounded by Vine, Fourth, B. & O. Railroad and Corporation limits.

District 15, bounded by Vine, Fourth, Seventh and corporation limits.

District 16, bounded by Vine, Fourth, Seventh and Penn. Railroad.

District 17, bounded by Seventh, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

## SECOND WARD.

District 23, bounded by Poplar, Third, B. & O. Railroad and Pennsylvania Railroad.

District 24, bounded by Poplar, Third, Central Avenue and B. & O. Railroad.

District 25, bounded by Central Avenue, Third, Fifth and Pennsylvania Railroad.

District 26, bounded by Fifth, Seventh, Central and Penn. Railroad.

District 27, bounded by Central Avenue, Seventh, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

## THIRD WARD.

District 34, bounded by Vine, South, B. & O. Railroad and Penn. Railroad.

District 35, bounded by Vine, South, B. & O. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 36, bounded by Laurel, Centennial, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 37, bounded by Laurel, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

## FOURTH WARD.

District 42, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Penn. Railroad and B. & O. Railroad.

District 43, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Poplar and B. & O. Railroad.

District 45, bounded by Poplar, Brown, B. & O. Railroad and corporation limits.

## FIFTH WARD.

District 51, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 52, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Poplar and McDonald.

District 53, bounded by Brown, Poplar, Lynn and McDonald.

District 54, bounded by Brown, Lynn, McDonald and Buckeye.

District 56, bounded by Brown, Buckeye, McDonald and corporation limits.

## LOUISVILLE AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

MACAULEY'S: Otis Skinner in "Cock o' the Walk" March 20, 21 and 22. Matinee Wednesday, the 22nd.

"Nobody Home," musical comedy, March 23, 24, 25, with matinee 25th.

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Elnora	7:30 am	9:10 am	3:35 pm
Beehunter	7:46 am	9:26 am	3:51 pm
Linton	8:04 am	9:44 am	4:09 pm
Jacksonville	8:24 am	10:04 am	4:29 pm
r. Terre Haute	8:40 am	10:20 am	4:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND. Daily—

Leave	No. 1	No. 3	No. 5
Terre Haute	5:50 am	12:30 pm	5:50 pm
Jacksonville	6:46 am	1:26 pm	6:47 pm
Linton	7:14 am	1:54 pm	7:16 pm
Beehunter	7:30 am	2:10 pm	7:32 pm
Elnora	7:44 am	2:24 pm	7:46 pm
Odon	7:56 am	2:36 pm	8:00 pm
Bedford	8:16 am	2:56 pm	
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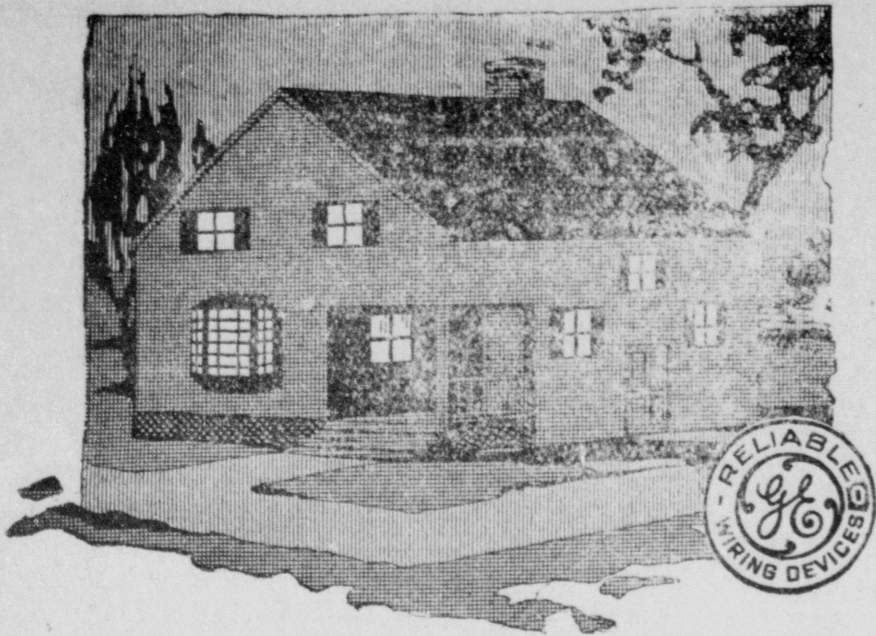
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### EXAMINATIONS FOR PUPILS

Candidates for Graduation From  
Eighth Grade Will Have Three  
Chances to Take Test.

The first of the examinations for pupils who are candidates for graduation from the common schools of the county was held Saturday. The test was open to any pupil in the county but the majority of those who took the examination were from Grassy Fork and Salt Creek township schools which have already closed for the summer vacation. Two other similar tests will be given this spring. The second will take place the third Saturday in April and the last the third Saturday in May.

The elementary schools of Grassy Fork and Salt Creek townships are the first in the county to complete the winter terms. In these townships the common schools are in session but six months. The high school in Grassy Fork township will not close for another month. The high school in Salt Creek township will close the year's work in another week.

Most of the other township schools have terms of seven months. They will close some time in April. The schools in this city are the last in the county to complete the winter terms. In none of the elementary schools will the graduation exercises be held immediately after the closing of the term. The commencement ceremony will be held during the summer. This is necessary as the final examination papers are not corrected immediately after the terms close in the county schools.

County Superintendent J. E. Payne in speaking of the work of the year said that the winter term has been very successful. He said that the courses of agriculture and domestic science have been extended during the present year and that examinations on such subjects were held this spring. These courses were not taken up in this county in the rural schools until last year but have been presented in a far more satisfactory manner this year than last.

### CELEBRATION OF LUTHERAN CONGREGATIONS PLANNED

Churches in Jackson and Bartholomew Counties Represented by  
Delegates at Meeting Here.

Several hundred members of the German Lutheran churches in Jackson and Bartholomew counties met at the local Lutheran church Sunday afternoon to confer regarding the jubilee collection and a joint celebration of all Lutheran churches in the two counties this summer. Each church was represented by the pastor and a large number of delegates.

A delegation of sixty-five came from Columbus and represented the church there and at Clifty. A special car was chartered for the trip. Other churches besides the local congregation which were represented were Vallonia, Brownstown, Sauers, Dudleytown and Jonesville. The delegates expressed themselves as favorable to the proposed celebration but nothing definite was decided upon at that time. Another meeting will be held in the near future.

Mrs. Frank Smith and children have gone to Indianapolis for future residence.

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### SEYMOUR MARKETS.

Wagon Wheat.....	\$1.05
Corn .....	65c
Oats .....	43c
Straw, wheat, ton.....	\$5.00
Straw, oats, ton.....	\$6.00
Timothy Hay.....	\$10.00@12.00
Clover Hay.....	\$ 8.00@10.00

### POULTRY.

Hens, fat, 4 1/2 lbs. and over.....	13c
Hens, fat, under 4 1/2 lbs.....	12c
Cocks .....	7c
Geese, per pound.....	9c
Ducks, per pound.....	12c
Turkeys, old hens, per pound.....	16c
Old Toms, per pound.....	13c
Turkeys, young fat.....	18c
Guineas, apiece.....	24c
Pigeons, per dozen.....	75c
Eggs .....	16c
Duck Eggs .....	23c
Goose Eggs .....	60c
Butter, (packing stock).....	19c
Tallow .....	5c
Hides No. 1.....	12c
Capons, 7 lbs. and over.....	17c
Slips .....	11c

### Indianapolis Cash Prices.

By United Press.

March 20, 1916.

WHEAT—Steady.	
No. 2 red.....	\$1.09 1/2 @ 1.10 1/2
Extra No. 3 red.....	\$1.09 @ 1.10
Milling wheat.....	\$1.10
CORN—Steady.	
No. 4 white.....	71 1/2 @ 72 1/2
No. 4 yellow.....	71 1/2 @ 73
No. 4 mixed.....	71 @ 72
OATS—Steady.	
No. 3 white.....	43 1/4 @ 44 3/4
No. 3 mixed.....	41 3/4 @ 42 1/4

### Indianapolis Live Stock.

#### Hogs.

Receipts .....	3,500
Tone .....	Steady
Best heavy .....	\$9.65 @ 9.70
Medium and mixed.....	\$9.65 @ 9.70
Common to choice lights.....	\$9.60 @ 9.65
Bulk of sales.....	\$9.65 @ 9.70

#### Cattle.

Receipts .....	900
Tone .....	Steady
Steers .....	\$6.50 @ 9.10
Cows and heifers.....	\$3.75 @ 8.25

### Weather Report.

Cloudy tonight and Tuesday.  
Probably rain, warmer tonight.

### Seymour Temperatures.

Reported by J. Thos. Hays, Sey- mour weather observer.	Max.	Min.
March 20, 1916.	41	27

### LOCAL BOWLERS WIN

Lutherans Topple The Kindling Sticks  
in Great Shape at Vincennes.

The local Walther League bowling team went to Vincennes Sunday where they took two out of three games from the Walther League team of that city. In a match contest held in this city a few weeks ago the local team won three straight games from the Vincennes pin artists, and were invited to a return match in Vincennes. The locals came out on the short end of the score in the first game yesterday, but after they had learned the peculiarities of the alleys had little trouble in annexing the next two rounds. The members of the team which made the trip were Wilbur Brand, Walter Droege, Paul Brunow, Otto Ahlbrand and Eph Ahlbrand.

### Miss Anna Kleffmann Dead.

Miss Anna Kleffmann, aged twenty-two years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Kleffmann, of Hamilton township, died Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. She had been an invalid all of her life. She leaves her parents and several brothers and sisters. Short funeral services will be held from the residence 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon after which services will be held at Borchers' church conducted by the Rev. Mr. Zumich. Burial at Borchers' cemetery.

The last rites over the body of the late Mrs. Herman Alberring were said this afternoon at the German Lutheran church by the pastor, the Rev. E. H. Eggers, in the presence of a large number of the friends and relatives of the deceased. Mrs. Alberring was one of the early residents of this county and had a wide circle of friends who admired her for her quiet, earnest christian life.

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### SMALL AMOUNTS ARE SPENT CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS

Archibald D. Shaw Spends \$9.51 and  
Manly D. Wilson Gets Rid of \$28  
—Duncan Has No Expense.

Candidates for congress from the  
Fourth congressional district are  
filing reports under the federal cor-  
rupt practices act as to their expendi-  
tures during the recent primary cam-  
paign. None of the Republican can-  
didates or the single Progressive can-  
didate delved very deep into their  
purses in seeking votes.

Manly D. Wilson, the successful  
candidate on the Republican ticket,  
spent more than any of the others.  
His report filed with the clerk of the  
House of Representatives in Wash-  
ington shows that he spent \$28.  
Archibald D. Shaw's race cost him  
\$9.51. John H. Kamman, of this  
city, recently filed a statement that  
he spent nothing. Washington C.  
Duncan, Progressive candidate, had  
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